

NORTH TEXAS DETACHMENT
MARINE CORPS LEAGUE

BYLAWS OF DETACHMENT:

ARTICLE 1: A QUORUM IS ESTABLISHED WHEN THREE (3) OR MORE ELECTED OFFICERS ARE IN ATTENDANCE AT ANY SCHEDULED MEETING OF THE DETACHMENT.

ARTICLE 2: ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE NORTH TEXAS DETACHMENT WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING: COMMANDANT, SENIOR VICE COMMANDANT, JUNIOR VICE COMMANDANT, PAYMASTER, AND JUDGE ADVOCATE.

ARTICLE 3: THE DETACHMENT COMMANDANT SHALL APPOINT THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS: ADJUTANT, CHAPLAIN, SERGEANT-AT-ARMS AND OTHER OFFICERS AS HE/SHE MAY DEEM NECESSARY TO SERVE THE NEEDS OF THE DETACHMENT.

ARTICLE 4: THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR ELECTED OFFICERS IS TO BE ONE (1) YEAR. IN THE EVENT ANY DETACHMENT OFFICER IS ABSENT FOR THREE (3) CONSECUTIVE MEETINGS, BARRING EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCES, THE DETACHMENT COMMANDANT WILL DECLARE THAT OFFICE VACANT AND AN ELECTION WILL TAKE PLACE IMMEDIATELY TO FILL SAID VACANCY AND NO PRIOR NOTICE SHALL BE REQUIRED.

ARTICLE 5: THE DETACHMENT PAYMASTER SHALL, AT ALL TIMES, BE IN CONTROL OF ALL MONIES ACQUIRED OR HELD BY THE DETACHMENT. HE/SHE SHALL MAINTAIN A BANK ACCOUNT IN THE NAME OF NORTH TEXAS DETACHMENT, MARINE CORPS LEAGUE WITH TWO (2) SIGNATURES (COMMANDANT AND PAYMASTER) BEING REQUIRED ON ALL CHECKS ISSUED BY THE DETACHMENT. (THE DETACHMENT COMMANDANT AND PAYMASTER ARE INCLUDED IN A BLANKET BOND ISSUED BY NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS.)

ARTICLE 6: THE ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE DETACHMENT SHALL BE ITS BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

ARTICLE 7: DETACHMENT OFFICERS SHALL BE ELECTED AT THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED JANUARY MEETING AND INSTALLED DURING THE REGULARLY SCHEDULED FEBRUARY MEETING.

ARTICLE 8: A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING IS DEFINED AS ONE WHO HAS PAID HIS/HER CURRENT DUES. NO ONE SHALL HOLD AN ELECTED OR APPOINTED OFFICE WHO IS NOT IN

GOOD STANDING WITH THE DETACHMENT. ONCE ACCEPTED AS A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING BY THE DETACHMENT MEMBERSHIP, THAT MEMBER MAY NOT BE REMOVED FROM THE DETACHMENT ROLL EXCEPT FOR CAUSE. (CHAPTER 9, ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES, MCL) OR THAT MEMBER REQUESTING TRANSFER. (SECTION 710, ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES, MCL).
ARTICLE 9: DETACHMENT BYLAWS MAY BE AMENDED OR CHANGED BY A 2/3 MAJORITY OF MEMBERS PRESENT AT ANY REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING. (SUBJECT TO THE WRITTEN APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT JUDGE ADVOCATE.)

DETACHMENT BYLAWS ADOPTED 21 APRIL 1994 BY VOTE OF MEMBERSHIP.

CERTIFIED BY:

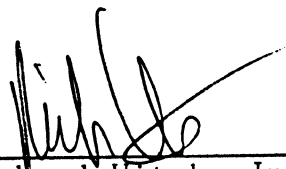


M.L. OWENS
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ATTEST:



TOM MILLER
ADJUTANT

Approved by:  Date 18 MAY 1994
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