



ASSOCIATES OF VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA, INC.

BOARD OF DIRECTOR
Region 7 Report – APRIL 2024

REGION 7: Greeting to All!

- Continue to remain in contact with both VVA and AVVA Region 7 Presidents/Chapter Reps to inform them on current updates and let Region 7 Directors for 2023-2025 term, I'm here to assist them. Keep trying to revive AR and OK. LA and TX AVVA doing well.
- Established the Disciplinary Committee for Region 7. This committee includes: Kathy Andras, (TX) AVVA Vice President; Paula Braxton (LA) Chapter Rep 852; Theresa Neal, (AR) Chapter POC 808.
- Attended the National VVA-AVVA National Convention in Orlando FL and will attend the Leadership Conference in Reno NV in August 2024.
- Continue to send messages to Region 7 members whether it has to do with Flash News, Veteran information or any updates.
- I sent out reminders to all within our region to keep track of their VISTA hours. Sent out information to Region 7 to reinforce the importance of Elections and to send their documents forward. Assisting several chapters in Region 7 to revive them as their Chapter Reps can no longer lead them. Very thankful to those AVVA members stepping up to the plate to lead their members.
- I monitor social media pages to keep tabs of our members and I thank all those of you who kept in touch.
- I keep encouraging chapters to incorporate and direct them to Bobbie Morris, Incorporation Chair for assistance or call me when needed.
- With the passing of many members, I ask for prayers or send cards when needed. Please let our members know they are in our thoughts and prayers.

My goal is to recruit new AVVA members and to revive Region 7. Stay in touch as I will do the same. My door is always open.

Respectfully,

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