



Candidate for the Election of Region 4 Director

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It is my honor to submit my application for the position of AVVA Region 4 Director.

My vision for Region 4 is to build a stronger organization by working closely with our national officers and region members.

If re-elected, I plan to continue to use my leadership skills to build a spirit of teamwork and camaraderie. I am an advocate of transparency and accountability. Living in a county of 30,000 military, my passion is educate our vets in regard to the services provided by the VA. (I encounter many of whom not registered.)

Service to AVVA

2/25-President.	AVVA Chapter 1059 Inc. Chapter President
12/24- Present.	AVVAFA State President
8/23-Present.	AVVA Region 4 Director
2022-2024.	Appointed AVVAFA Treasurer
2023-Present.	Advisor to VICJS
2021-2023.	Elected AVVA Region 4 Deputy Director
2021-2023.	Appointed VVA National Chair/Awards Cte.
2021-2023.	Committee member for AVVA Incorporation
2018-Present.	Logistics chair for VVA FL state council
2018-2022.	Elected AVVAFA state president
2019-2021.	Chair for VVA Chapter 1059 scholarship awards
2016-2018.	Elected AVVA state vice president
2013-2018.	Founded & served as AVVA Chapter Rep for CH 1059

Awards

2022.	Awarded Certificate of Appreciation from VVA Chapter 1059 president for contributions to vets and community.
2015.	Member of the Year AVVA Florida Association.

Volunteer Service

Committee member for the TAPS monument, a memorial that honors all combat vets who lost their lives in combat in Clay County FL from the civil war to the present.

On March, 29, of every year, the TAPS committee hosts a commemorative celebration. This year was the 50th remembrance of the end of the Vietnam War. There were more than 400 guests and ten speakers.