A message to posts, districts and divisions about coronavirus and COVID-19

The American Legion feels it is important to let you know the proactive steps that we are taking to keep our employees and Legionnaires in North Carolina as safe and updated as possible during this ever-changing event.

District and Division meetings are considered Department events. All Department events are cancelled through the end of March. In addition, we advise to not engage in any unnecessary travel.

Here are some steps to consider to provide protection for both staff and post members:

- Additional cleaning measures put in place daily to disinfect high-touch areas & hand sanitizing stations are available in all rooms.
- Limiting face-to-face meetings, and encouraging the use of teleconferencing for meetings when possible.
- Asking members who are sick to stay home until they are well and those who have recently traveled to any of the high-risk countries or live in the same household with someone who recently traveled to one of those to self-quarantine for 14 days.

Additionally, below are some ways that we recommend your posts, districts and divisions, consider your banking habits in order to keep your exposure minimized:

We will be monitoring this situation closely and using the most trusted sources for information.

Looking for more specific information related to the Coronavirus? Visit the links below for more information.

- [CDC Website](https://www.cdc.gov)
- [World Health Organization](https://www.who.int)