

THE AMERICAN LEGION, DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN

**RESOLUTION:** 18-C-5

**SUBMITTED BY:** Department Finance & Personnel Committee

**SUBJECT:** **Increase of Per Diem Reimbursement for Volunteers**

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**WHEREAS,** The American Legion, Department of Michigan, has a current per diem reimbursement rate of \$40.00 per day for volunteers; and

**WHEREAS,** The Finance & Personnel Committee has reviewed the current policy and has determined that an increase in per diem reimbursement can be implemented with the new budget; and

**WHEREAS,** The current per diem rate has been in effect since July 1, 2004, per the Department Executive Committee Rules of Procedure; and

**WHEREAS,** The increase in per diem reimbursement could also increase the member and volunteer attendance to Department meetings and functions; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** By The American Legion, Department of Michigan, in annual Department Convention assembled in Kalamazoo, Michigan, June 21, 2018, That the Department Executive Committee modify the current per diem reimbursement rate of \$40.00 per day to a new amount of \$100.00 per day for all volunteers, effective July 1, 2018.