Hello District 2 Auxiliary Members.

Looks like spring is finally here. Along with spring comes the District Meetings.

The District 2 meeting was held in Park River on April 15<sup>th</sup>. The day was a little cool but that did not stop 27 members from attending. Thank you to all who came out for the meeting. It was nice to see all of you. Thank you to Department President Sandra Petermann, Department President-Elect/Membership Gloria Covert, and Parliamentarian Diane Kraemer for attending.

Sandra spoke about the Winter Conference and membership. District 2 has 2 units at 100% and 2 at over 100%. Keep up the good work! She also discussed the National dues increase that will take effect for dues year 2024.

Diane spoke about the Constitution and Bylaws. She had an example to share with units to help them get theirs set up. If your unit needs a sample copy, please feel free to contact me.

Gloria spoke on membership. She emphasized staying connected with members and encouraged units to sign up for American Legion Auxiliary Management Information System (ALAMIS) computer access. It is a good way to keep track of members.

At our Fall District Meeting, members donated funds to the American Legion Auxiliary Emergency Fund for the victims of hurricanes in Florida. We received a letter from National President Vickie Koutz thanking our District members for the donation to help other Auxiliary members.

Thank you to the units that turned in their 2022 Impact Reports. Enjoy your spring and summer and I am looking forward to seeing you at the Department Convention in June.

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