

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEEWOMAN

2015-2016 REPORT

In August 2015 as National Convention was coming to an end, I was honored to have Diane Rousseau pass the NEC Ribbon to me. Diane graciously accepted the position of NEC to fill the remainder of the year 2014-2015.

In October 2015 I had the pleasure of traveling to Springfield, Illinois to celebrate Sharon Conatser's homecoming. It was a pleasure meeting so many new friends and visiting with already known friends.

In mid-November the Department of Florida was honored to have National President Sharon Conatser visit us and attended our Fall Conference. She greatly inspired the Department with her discussions.

The Mid-Year NEC meeting and the Washington D.C. Conference were held in February. The meetings were very informative and I encourage everyone to visit National's website. www.alaforveterans.org to keep informed as what is happening. Many topics were discussed with the main focus being our Strategic 5 Year Plan. Together working side-by-side we can achieve our goals.

Department of Florida has a resolution coming before our June Convention to encourage the NEC to hold that position for more than one year. This will give the NEC'S more opportunity to learn and put their knowledge to work.

At our June Convention the Department of Florida will have the honor of having our Southern Division National Vice President, Flora Jean Craig visit with us. We are all looking forward to seeing her.

It has been a pleasure working with the National Officers and Staff. I am looking forward to seeing all of you in Cincinnati.

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