



AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY



John Gella Memorial Unit 219, Inc.
American Legion Auxiliary
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John Gella Memorial American Legion Auxiliary Unit 219, Inc. of Fruitland Park, Florida unanimously voted on October 13, 2025, to endorse Dara Oliver (DaraAnne B. Oliver Member #131348774) to the office of Department of Florida 2nd Vice President / Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Chair 2026-2027. Dara has been an active member of our Unit for several years and has held the esteemed position of National Historian, Department Historian and currently the Dept. 3rd Vice and Children & Youth Chair.

Dara is eligible for membership through her late father David E. Bulterman Sr., who served in the Navy as well as honors the Air Force service of her son, Kavanagh WC Oliver. Dara exhibits great leadership skills, serves as a kind and caring mentor, effectively leverages others' abilities to inspire and encourage them to excel and recruits members wherever she goes. Dara has served the Auxiliary for the past 40+ years and is also an Officer of the Legion Riders. Her husband, son, daughter, siblings and nieces are all members of the Legion Family. She is active on all levels and is serving on the Membership committee for National this year. She attends trainings, seminars, on-line courses, schools, conferences and Conventions and is always willing to learn.

If elected the members of John Gella Memorial Unit 219 have every confidence that Dara Oliver will discharge her duties with unwavering loyalty, steadfast commitment, dignity and honor. Her longstanding dedication to the American Legion Auxiliary and its' programs has amply prepared her to serve the great Department of Florida with distinction as our 2nd Vice President / VA&R Chairperson.

Clayborn Norman, Unit President

Diane C. Rousseau, Unit Secretary

If elected, I pledge to diligently discharge all duties of the Office of Department 2nd Vice President and will devoutly serve the American Legion Auxiliary to the utmost of my abilities.

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