

Region Three Director

Hope Summers

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I hope everyone is fairly well with the virus going around, I overcame my interlude with it, and I am doing good now. I have been keeping up the states to get the election results in so they can be forwarded to Susie Meeks and Nancy Montgomery. So far, we have the ones for South Carolina, North Carolina, and Tennessee. The other states still have until September 15<sup>th</sup> before they are late, but I have the state representatives working to get those finished.

Also, I am working with Debbie Musolino, the state representative, from North Carolina to get the ladies in that state to help with the quilting for the Quilts of Valor in that state. The lady over the region of North Carolina where Mount Holly is said they were getting behind and could use all the help they could get. I thought that would be a good project for the AVVA to get involved with that would give the ladies more Vista hours to claim.

My Chapter 523 finally was able to start our meeting back and we finally finished our project of wrapping 8 of our veterans with a Quilt Of Valor. All the guys were really surprised and a couple of them even broke down, they really were not expecting it. I also was able to wrap my brother, at his home, since he is 84 and was afraid to come to the meeting. So now, we are working on having our annual golf tournament in September.

I have partnered with the President of the South Carolina Chapter 303, Ron Hagell, who is going to try and set up a membership drive for the AVVA in that chapter to boost membership. We discussed getting the younger veterans to join so they would be in place to take over when we are no longer viable.

As Always yours in Service to the Veterans and their families.

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