## Project Friendship Report July 2025

AVVA had a very successful Project Friendship for the Leadership Conference last year. The presentation check presented to Fellow Countrymen exceeded our goal for 2024.

For the 2025 Project Friendship donations have been received at the National Office and a spreadsheet has been sent to me and other officers. The recipient for this year is Volunteers of America located in New Orleans.

The AVVA Board of Directors held a pre-convention meeting we went over the funds collected as of July 21<sup>st</sup> and other Board members indicated that they will be bringing checks to the Convention. We will have met our goal for this year and will probably exceed it.

I will be collecting funds at the convention. Sharon will make the presentation during the Closing Ceremony on Saturday, August 9, 2025.