

AVVA REGION 6 REPORT

May 2025 – August 2025

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May 2025 – Sent out reminders to all states with information about the upcoming National Convention to be held in New Orleans, Louisiana. In Region 6 there are only three states with eligible delegates. Included in that information was delegate registration, convention registration and hotel information. Attended the Marshfield Senior fair giving out information about all of our programs. This was well received with over 250 seniors in attendance.

June 2025 – Attended the Missouri State Council meeting and presented them with Project Friendship. The Missouri State Council voted and approved a \$1,000 donation which was mailed to the National Office. Sent out another reminder of deadlines to register for delegates and the convention.

July 2025 – Attended VVA Region 6 Conference and presented Project Friendship along with how many AVVA Members are in the region. There are 1073 Members in the region and gave them a breakdown of each state. Wisconsin had two AVVA members in attendance Pat Furno, AVVA Region 6 Deputy Director; Wisconsin State President, and Joy Foye Wisconsin State At-Large Representative. Pat Furno will be attending the convention as a delegate. Wisconsin will have three delegates voting and Missouri will have 4 voting delegates. I was able to collect \$300 in a 50/50 raffle. Greg Pauline from Iowa was the winner and he donated his half back the Project Friendship. Chapter 1014 Lebanon Missouri voted to donate \$500 to Project Friendship making the total donation \$1,800. Thank you to all who participated and donated.

August 2025 – I will be attending the 2025 National Convention in New Orleans, Louisiana as a delegate for Missouri State. I will be running for AVVA Region 6 Director again and look forward to serving another two years.

In Service to America,

Barbara Coan, AVVA Region 6 Director