



CAMP ORDER NO. 4
Series 2024



GEN. W.S. ROSECRANS CAMP NO. 2
DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA AND PACIFIC
SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

LIFE MEMBER EXEMPTION FROM CAMP DUES

By the authority vested in me, as Commander of Gen. W. S. Rosecrans Camp, No. 2, Department of California and Pacific, by the Camp Bylaws, the Department Bylaws, the National Constitution and Regulations, and National Policies, it is hereby ordered, as follows:

Section 1: Article VI, Membership Dues and Fees, of the Camp's Bylaws, establishes the amount of the annual dues for Members and Associate Members, exempting Junior Members and Brothers serving in the United States Armed Forces, and provides processes for changing the Dues by the Camp; and,

Section 2: Article VII, Section 1, (b), of the National Constitution, provides that all Life Members are exempt from paying National per capita dues; and

Section 3: Article VI, Section 1, (a), of the Department's Bylaws, provides that all Life Members are exempt from paying Department per capita dues; and

Section 4: Notwithstanding Article VI, of the Camp's Bylaws, but following the precedent set by National Constitution, and the Department's Bylaws, which exempt Life Members from paying annual per capita dues to the National Order and Department, this Camp has effectively exempted Life Members from paying annual Camp dues, by never having collected dues from its Life Members.

Section 5: Therefore, this Camp Order establishes the Camp's tradition of exempting Life Members from paying annual Camp dues, as the official policy of the Camp, until such time as the Camp's Bylaws shall be amended to include the exemption for Life Members; or, the policy is otherwise changed by a vote of the Membership.

Section 6: Pursuant to Article VI, Section 2, of the Camp's Bylaws, this change in the Camp's dues policy, was approved by a majority vote of the Brothers attending the September 11, 2021 Camp meeting, and shall be effective until changed as stipulated in Section 5, above.

The foregoing Camp Order is proclaimed this 23rd day of January, in the year of our Lord two thousand twenty-four, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, by Dean Smith, Commander of Gen. W. S. Rosecrans Camp No. 2, Department of California and Pacific, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

(CAMP SEAL)

By Order of: /s/ Dean Smith,
Commander
Gen. W. S. Rosecrans Camp No. 2
Department of California and Pacific

ATTEST: By:

/s/ James A. Bellows
Secretary