

**Kim Harney**  
**for**  
**National Guard**  
**2022-2023**



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to hear from you.**



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**Department of Arizona**  
**VFW Auxiliary**

## ABOUT ME

I have a family with a long line of military service, of which I am extremely proud. Three grandfathers (USMC, Army & Coast Guard) served in WWII and Korea; two uncles (USMC), my father (USMC), and my husband (USAF) all served in Vietnam; and an uncle (USN) who earned the Libyan Expedition Medal.

Under the eligibility of my father, I joined the Sierra Vista Jr. Girls Unit and served as President, before joining the VFW Auxiliary #9972 at the age of 16 of which I have been a life member for 42 years.

I am a Life member of the VFW National Home for Children as well as a member of MOCA Pup Tent #2.

After high school, I moved to Florida to pursue my teaching degree at the University of Florida. In May of 2020, I retired from teaching after 29 years as a Special Education teacher.

I moved back to Sierra Vista in 2006 and became more involved in the VFW Auxiliary on all levels.

In addition to the support from the Department, District and Auxiliary, I have the full support of my husband and family.

I am proud to be a member and truly love the VFW Auxiliary and all that it represents.

### National:

- 2020-2021** – Western Conference Membership Chairman
- 2019-2021** - National District Council Member #15
- 2019-2020** – National Ritual Committee
- 2016-2017** – Western Conference Membership Chairman
- 2015-2016** – National Project A.M.E.N. Group working on MALTA
- 2014-2018** – National Recruiter
- 2013-2014** – Western Conference Americanism Chairman

### Department:

- 2021-2022** – Department Newsletter Editor & Webmaster
- 2020-2021** – Department Newsletter Editor, Webmaster, Program Activity Report Coordinator & Community Outreach Chairman
- 2018-2019** – Department President – Circle of Excellence
- 2014-2018** – Department Audit Committee
- 2017-2018** – Department Program Coordinator
- 2014-2015** – Department Veterans and Family Support Chairman - Plate
- 2013-2014** – Department Veterans and Family Support Chairman & Color Bearer
- 2012-2013** – Department Americanism Chairman
- 2008-2009** – Department Banner Bearer

## QUALIFICATIONS

### District:

- 2019 – Present** – Trustee
- 2013-2014** – District President (District President of the Year)

### Auxiliary:

- 2017-2020** – Secretary
- 2012-Present** – Treasurer and Membership Chairman
- 2008-2011** – Trustee

### Notes:

- Served as a Chairman for each National program at least once on the District level. Served in the offices of Guard, Conductress, and Jr. Vice before being elected as District President.
- Other than Chaplain and Membership, our Auxiliary works as a team on the National programs.
- In 2012, our Auxiliary had a great President but was in need of a treasurer. At that time, I made the decision to run for this office and have found that I am an effective leader and mentor for our Auxiliary through this position. I believe I have helped my Auxiliary be more effective in helping Veterans and their families by continuing to be the treasurer than I would have as a one-year President.