



Department of Missouri
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Theme: 🍷 **2025-2026 Missouri Department Chief of Staff Program**

“Follow the Yellow Brick Road: Supporting Healthy Auxiliaries from Munchkinland to Missouri!”

🌈 **My Magical Mission**

The Department Chief of Staff plays a vital role in keeping Missouri Auxiliaries healthy, active, and on track. Like the Wicked Witch (reimagined), the Chief of Staff **(Me)** won't stir up trouble—I will use my broom to sweep away confusion, guide leaders through storms, and keep everyone on the Yellow Brick Road to success.

🎯 **Our Program Goals (Wizard-Approved) for the year are:**

- 🛡️ 1. Strengthen All Current Auxiliaries: Just like Glinda showed Dorothy the way, I will guide Auxiliaries back to basics when necessary.
- 🛡️ 2. Utilize the Healthy Auxiliary Tool Kit in MALTA.
- 🛡️ 3. Demonstrate teamwork, communication, and leadership transitions.
- 🛡️ 4. The Auxiliaries will have completed all 5 Essentials of a Healthy Auxiliary.

🧱 **Extension**

“It's not where you go, it's who you meet along the way.”

Objectives:

Present at unaffiliated VFW Posts.

Encourage the formation of new Auxiliaries.

Utilize the: **Top 10 Reasons for Your Post to Have an Auxiliary**

REMEMBER: We aren't just helping Auxiliaries form—we're building homes for generations of Auxiliary members to come.

REVITALIZATION

Celebrate, Recognize & Promote our **GREEN.AUXILIARIES**. Recognition motivates—especially when it's from the heart. Let's celebrate with:

“Ruby Slipper” Awards for outstanding revitalization efforts.

Recognition for every new Auxiliary and each Green Flag Auxiliary.

Submitting MALTA entries to National for:

Best member mentoring struggling Auxiliary.

Best District President assisting a struggling Auxiliary.

Let's make Missouri sparkle all the way to Reno, Nevada!

What Are **Yellow Flag Warnings?**

Auxiliaries who:

Miss one or more of the five essentials.

Struggle to attract or retain members.

Lack of participation in Programs.

Fail to attend training/events.

Show disorganization or unresolved conflict.

These groups need a gentle sweep back onto the road through mentoring and positive encouragement.

What is a **RED LIGHT Auxiliary?** – an Auxiliary that is put on suspension as a time to step back and regroup. Suspension simply means there is some work to do to get the Auxiliary where it needs to be. The hope is that the Auxiliary will recover and come back stronger and better than before.

This is going to be an EXCITING year, and you my “Pretties” are in for a wild ride!!!

We will have all **GREEN Auxiliaries!!**

Love and Respect,
Janet

REMEMBER: *Be the Reason a Veteran Smiles Today!*