

## **VFW DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA**

### **Dashboard Flowchart (2025-2026)**

The Department of California has criteria for both Districts and Posts.

Following are the report categories and subcategories:

- **Veterans Assistance**
  - Adopt-a-Unit/MAP activities (must identify the Military unit and event)
  - National Home
  - Unmet Needs/Relief (Ensure you report the specific reason for the relief)
  - VFW Mental Wellness
  - Sport Clips Help a Hero Scholarship submission
  - Military & Veterans Support (Women Veterans, Homeless, Iraq/Afghanistan)
  - Claims & Benefits Assistance (DO NOT report names or specific issues)
  - Other
- **Legislative Advocacy**
  - State
  - National (only use if you are part of Nat Leg Team)
  - Other
- **Community Service**
  - Citizenship/Americanism (Ceremonies Veterans Day, Memorial Day)
  - Honor Guard
  - Flag Etiquette
  - POW/MIA
  - VA Volunteer Services (hospital/clinic)
  - Buddy Poppy Drive<sup>1</sup>
  - Membership Drive at a Community Event<sup>1</sup>
  - Public Servant Recognition (LE/FF/EMT)<sup>1</sup>
  - Teacher of the Year<sup>1</sup>
  - Disaster Relief
  - Stand Down Participation
  - Safety Recognition
- **Youth Development**
  - Voice of Democracy<sup>1</sup>
  - Patriot's Pen<sup>1</sup>
  - Scouting
  - JROTC
  - Student Scholarships
  - Other

1 – Noted programs have their own dashboard areas separate from the regular reporting.