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TO: The Department of Florida American Legion Bruce Comer Department Adjutant 1912A Lee Road Orlando, FL 32859

American Legion Post 14 would like to take this opportunity to recommend Ginny Shephard for the position of 16th District Commander for fiscal year 2024-2025. Ginny has more than proved herself to be a capable and strong leader within the District. This nomination was presented and ratified at the January 13, 2024 meeting of the American Legion Post 14 in St Petersburg, Florida.

Ginny served in the United States Air Force and when she was discharged she joined the American Legion and became Adjutant the first year. Ginny has 37 years as an American Legion member and has held many positions during this time. Positions held are Adjutant, 1st Vice Commander, Service Officer and to include Commander. She is currently the Commander of Post 14 and has been for 4 continuous years.

Ginny is also very involved currently with the 16th District. She has held positions of 2nd Vice Commander, Service Officer; Chair for Women's Advocate, VA&R and is currently the 1st Vice Commander.

Ginny retired from the Veteran Affairs and is continuing to be very dedicated to helping her fellow veterans. She is always available to assist whenever she is needed. Her skills and help assist the whole organization to be stronger on all levels. We think she would make an excellent candidate for District Commander of the 16th District.

Thank you for your consideration of this nomination.

Richard Fickley

1st Vice Commander

Josephine Blankenship

2nd Vice Commander