



**Fleet Reserve Association  
Inland Empire Branch 38, Inc.  
Spokane, Washington  
[www.frabran38.org](http://www.frabran38.org)**

**2024 - 2025 Branch Officers**

President Michelle Davis  
Vice President James Grisham  
Sec/Treasurer: Dave Lord  
  
Chaplain Dennis McCully  
Master-at-Arms James Robertson

**Board of Directors**

*Plus Branch Officers:*  
Rick Baldwin (2020-2025)  
Harold Young (2021-2026)  
James Grisham (2023-2028)

**2023–2024 Branch Cmte Chairs**

Americanism Rick Baldwin  
HW&R Michelle Davis  
Public Relations Peg Burke  
Veterans Services Dave Lord  
Youth Activities Robert Bean

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**October 12, 2024– Minutes**

Introduction of non-member guests and visiting shipmates:

Invoke the Blessing of God – **Chaplain**

**Shipmates Please Recite with me the following**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Fleet Reserve Association Preamble**

Declare Meeting convened.

Read Minutes of Sept 2024 meetings

Standing Committee Reports

Americanism-Patriotism – Chair, **Rick Baldwin** to meet with Sea Cadets , Classes , Outreach , St Charles Trinity Thomas Moore

Hospitals, Welfare & Rehabilitation – Chair, **Michelle Davis Outreach Help assist and Volunteer**

Membership & Retention – Chair, **Michelle Davis Group Five, Hockey Games Table**

Public Relations – Chair, **Peg Burke Updated website , \$935 NWR Convention**

Veterans Service – Chair, **Dave Lord is meeting with 2 – 3 clients a week ,**

Youth Activities – Chair, **Robert Bean Nothing to report**

Communications received since the Sept 2024 meeting.

Treasurer’s Reports as of Sept 2024 - Secretary of State report filed July 26 2024 , IRS Form 990-N

**Unfinished or Deferred Business**

**2024 NW Regional Convention**

The 2024 Northwest Regional Convention was held on September 6-7, 2024, Clover Island Inn, Kennewick  
Talked about we had done 7 of last 10 conventions , loss of funds for rooms meals and incidentals

**The 2024 (96th FRA/91st LAFRA) Convention on November 10-16, 2024. The Centennial will be on November 11, 2024, and the Convention itself will be held November 12-16, 2024.** Information is now available on the FRA Website.

*Robert Bean, NWR President and Jr Past Branch President will be the Branch Delegate*

**Nominations for National Offices:**

NP Nominations	NVP Maria Behm	NCR Branch 32	YES
NVP Nominations	Rick Fetro	WCR Branch 101	YES
	Pete Lazzaretti	NWR Branch 18	NO

C and BL Recommendations 10 Change to Language YES , 13 Finance officer does not have to be a member YES and Name Image Likeness YES .

**New Business**

Peg to discuss to Continue with Zoom Branch pay half , region pay half , table discussion

**Good of the Order**

Navy Birthday 249 yo , 10 /13 , Chiefs Hockey Tables outreach , Fundraising ideas , Presidents Own Marine Band playing Ferris Auditorium Oct 27 1500 , 50/50 \$41 Rick Baldwin donated back to Branch

Closing Prayer – **Chaplain**

**President:**

**“Let us leave this meeting place fully aware of the obligation that we owe to our country, our Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and the Fleet Reserve Association, and till we meet again let nothing swerve us from our three cardinal principals: Loyalty, Protection, and Service. I now declare this meeting of Branch 038, Fleet Reserve Association, regularly adjourned.”**

**Dates for Calendar Year 2024 - 2025**

*All meetings are on the Second Saturday of the month.*

**Second Quarter FY 2024 VFW Post 1474 and Luncheon Meetings**

- October 12, 2024** Qtrly Meeting at 10:00 AM at the VFW Post 1474  
2902 E. Diamond Ave, Spokane, WA
- November 9, 2024** Monthly Meeting at 10:00 AM at the VFW Post 1474  
2902 E. Diamond Ave, Spokane, W
- December 14, 2024** XMAS LUNCH at the **Ranch Chico Mexican Restaurant**,  
2023 W. Northwest Blvd, Spokane, WA – **West**

