Mount Vernon Chapter, MVC – MOAA Quarterly Report – 2nd Quarter 2023 1 April – 30 June 2023

I.	Membership:	Regular	Surviving Spouse	Honorary	Total
	As of 1 April	125	15		140
	Gains	0	0		0
	Losses	54	5		59
	As of 30 June	71	10		81*

^{*}Reflects paid membership as of 30 June 2023

- II. <u>Legislative Affairs:</u> CDR Prevar kept the chapter officers and membership informed on legislative issues during the period through newsletter articles and the chapter website. He also corresponded regularly with and provided chapter newsletters to staff for US Senators Warner and Kaine and Representatives Connolly, Beyer, and Wexton. Additionally, he corresponded regularly with state Legislator Bennet-Parker and state Senator Ebbin.
- III. <u>Chapter Vitality & Levels of Excellence:</u> Mount Vernon Chapter received the 2022 James Harris Communications Awards for both its newsletter and website.
- IV. Most Significant Chapter Events of the Quarter: The Chapter enjoyed Richard Killblane's discussion of his latest book, *They Were the Rough Riders: Inside Theodore Roosevelt's Famed Cavalry Regiment*, at its luncheon on 13 May. The author, who is an Army veteran, military historian, and martial arts instructor, gave a spirited talk of how he came to write the book over a period of years and presented a synopsis of the events he covers in it.

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