

GEORGE C. MARSHALL CHAPTER, VCOC - MOAA
Quarterly Report
1 July 2023 – 30 September 2023

I. <u>Membership:</u>	<u>Regular</u>	<u>Auxiliary</u>	<u>Honorary</u>	<u>Total</u>
As of 1 January 2023:	103	6	9	118
Gains:	7	0	2	6
Losses:	<u>6</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>6</u>
As of 30 Sep 2023	104	5	8	117

II. Legislative Affairs: The Chapter’s Legislative Affairs Representative has continued to attend VCOC Legislative Affairs meetings and advise the Chapter Board of Directors of legislative issues of interest to the membership.

III. Public Affairs: Nothing significant to report.

IV. Chapter Vitality and Levels of Excellence:

- (a) Levels of Excellence: We are pleased to have been selected for 5-star status in Levels of Excellence competition.
- (b) Self-Evaluation: we currently rate ourselves 64 (Outstanding). Areas of emphasis continue to be the Transition Assistance Program as well as membership within the very small active duty component in the ROTC departments of VMI. We continue to have challenges in our recruitment initiatives among the ROTC staff but are pleased that all three ROTC Professors (Army, Navy/ Marine Corps, and Aerospace Studies) are members of the chapter.

V. Most Significant Chapter Events of the Quarter: At our August lunch, chapter member Philip Clayton spoke about his years as an Air Force pilot and then his transition into the cockpit of a commercial airliner. On 15 September, the chapter hosted the 15th annual Veteran Support Golf Tournament at the Lexington Golf and Country Club. 56 golfers played on a picture-perfect day for golf, enjoying a fried chicken buffet dinner following the event. Proceeds from the tournament as well as hole sponsorships and individual/corporate donations will allow the chapter to make generous donations to veteran support organizations, including the Virginia Veteran and Family Support (VVFS) program, in December. Representatives from VVFS and the Virginia Veterans Services Foundation attended our tournament.

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