

VFW DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN ONLY

**DEPARTMENT REPORTING GUIDELINES FOR THE SMART/MAHER
VFW NATIONAL CITIZENSHIP EDUCATION TEACHER AWARD**

USE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION TO COMPLETE THE ATTACHED:

The guidelines listed below are intended to help clarify the Smart/Maher VFW National Citizenship Education Teacher Award reporting process and to ensure that all participation and expenses incurred by Posts/Auxiliaries are completely and accurately reported for proper credit:

TOTAL POST PARTICIPATION

Number of Posts in your Department that had a declared winner forwarded to District.

TOTAL AUXILIARY PARTICIPATION

If a Post has an Auxiliary, credit their participation.

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING SCHOOLS

Number of schools that had a teacher nominated.

TOTAL NUMBER OF PARTICIPATING TEACHERS

Number of teachers that actually were nominated.

TOTAL DISTRICT/AUXILIARY PARTICIPATION

Number of Districts and Auxiliaries (if applicable) in your Department that had a declared winner.

TOTAL COUNTY COUNCILS/AUXILIARIES PARTICIPATION

Number of County Councils and Auxiliaries (if applicable) in your Department that had a declared winner.

AWARDS AND MONEY EXPENDED

Total dollar values of awards presented to teacher participants at Post, District, County Council and Department levels. All additional moneys allocated and expended in conducting their program. (Banquet, gifts, medals, citations, etc.)

