

Hampton Roads Chapter  
Military Officers Association of America  
VCOG QUARTERLY REPORT  
1 January—31 March 2010

I. Membership:	Regular	Auxiliary	Honorary	Total
As of 1 Jan:	347	79	3	429
Gains:	37	10	0	47
As of 31 Mar:	384	89	3	476

Note: HRC participated in recruitment efforts at 80th Div Commanders Conference resulting in ten (10) new MOAA members.

II. Legislative Affairs: Chapter Director of Legislative Affairs, Jack Hilgers served as legislative liaison to the Va. Dept. of Vet. Services, members of the General Assembly and Congressman Ney's office in particular. He organized and directed the January JLC conference involving key state legislators. He also participated in the VCOG "Storming of the Hill" and attended the January VBVS meeting and two Veterans Services Foundation Board meetings in March. Jack was one of the VCOG team members that carried out successful support of veterans legislation during this last session of the Virginia General assembly and also promoted a significant number of legislative initiatives. We are fortunate to have Jack in our chapter.

III. Public Affairs: HRC finally got two short articles published in the Va Pilot Beacon paper. They were concerning our "Welcome Home Banner" at the AMC Terminal and our participation in "Storming of the Hill".

IV. Chapter Vitality and Levels of Excellence:

- a. HRC conducted a Self Evaluation resulting in a score of 55. (Excellent)
- b. Status: Chapter needs to encourage non-MOAA members to consider national membership. Chapter will ensure that goals are set for next year.

V. Chapter Events: Board of Directors held three regular meetings and chapter members enjoyed excellent programs at three well attended monthly luncheon meetings. (Program topics included VA Long Term Care Assistance and Outlying Airfields Issues)

Four couples enjoyed the "Give Me Ten" recognition dinner and two members attended Storming the Hill in Richmond. We presented a "Welcome Home " banner to be displayed at the Naval Base AMC passenger terminal to help greet returning military personnel. We also ordered a memorial brick for the "Walk of Honor" at the Virginia War Memorial.

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