

Business Agenda

Friday March 27, 2026

- 1. Call to Order.....President Brenda Ferri
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance.....Keith Egan, PER
Americanism Chair
- 3. Invocation.....Joseph Cruz, Chaplain
National Anthem.....Armando Chavez, PER
- 4. Introductions & Welcome.....Brenda Ferri
President
- 5. Introduction of Distinguished Elks.....
President Brenda Ferri
- 6. Remarks:
Special Deputy GER – Hon. Rick Callaway
NM Sponsor – Hon. John D. Amen, PGER
Grand Exalted Ruler.....
Hon. Bryan R Klatt
- 7. Roll Call of Officers.....Mary Rogers
State Secretary
- 8. Roll Call of Lodges.....Mary Rogers
State Secretary
- 9. Minutes of Previous Session.....Mary Rogers
State Secretary
- 10. Report of Advisory Committee.....
Jerry Hitchcock, PSP
- 11. Nominations from Floor
- 12. Presentation of Budgets for Ensuing Year
Board of Directors.....Steven Holland, PDD, Chair
Cerebral Palsy Commission.....Kandi Barks, PSP
Veterans Service.....Cheryl Kelly, SW DDGER
C&B Trust.....Veronica Ballew, Chair
- 13. Reports of District Deputies
Northwest.....Jon Fouser, DDGER
Northeast.....Terry Baca, DDGER
Southwest.....Keith Egan, DDGER
Southeast.....Michael Johnson, DDGER
- 14. Reports by Lodges
Immediate PERS, submit to State Secretary
INTERMISSION
- 15. Call to Order.....President Brenda Ferri

- 16. Report of State President.....Brenda Ferri
- 17. Reports of Committees under President
Charitable and Benevolent Trust.....
Veronica Ballew
- Elks National Foundation.....
Kevin Campbell, PER
- Elks Veterans Service.....Cheryl Kelly, PER
- ENF Grants Writer.....Christy Ortiz, PER
- Directory.....Jymi Rogers, PER
- Financial Investments.....Kandi Barks, PSP
- GL Convention – Chicago.....
Steven Holland, PDD
- State Convention.....Johnny Hilliard, PSP
- Laws.....Glenda Greene, PSP
- 18. Report of President Elect.....Dan Gutierrez
- 19. Report of Committees under President Elect
Americanism.....Keith Egan, PER
Hoop Shoot.....Greg Hilliard, PER
Lodge Activities.....Tom Eppler, PER
Scholarships.....Christy Ortiz, PER
Drug Awareness.....Jamie Lopez, PER
Youth Activities.....
Patty Shephardson, PER
- Ritual.....Hon. Rick Callaway, PSP

****REMINDER****

**4:30 pm in Ballroom A, Memorial Service
All Social Gathering Rooms are closed**

Saturday, March 28, 2026

- 1. Call to Order.....President Brenda Ferri
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance.....Keith Egan, PER
Americanism Chair
- 3. Invocation.....Joseph Cruz, Chaplain
God Bless America.....Armando Chavez, PER
- 4. Membership.....Jon Fouser, NW DDGER
- 5. Report of Vice President.....Aaron Ballew
- 6. Reports of Committees under Vice President
Accident Prevention.....Roger Tingley, PER

- Internet/Website.....Doug Hodges
- Public Relations.....Brenda Hood
- Bowling.....Robert Thurston, PDD
- Government Relations.....Richard Shepardson
GL Area 6 Govt Rel Committeeman
- 7. Protocol.....Jessica Hatfield, PDD
- 8. Report on Credentials.....Mary Rogers
State Secretary
- 9. Report of State Secretary.....Mary Rogers
- 10. Report of State Treasurer.....Geri Madrid
- 11. Report of Board of Directors.....
Steve Holland PDD, Chair
- 12. Unfinished Business
Elections of Officers.....2026-2027
Budgets for Ensuing Year
State Association
Cerebral Palsy Commission
Veterans Service Commission
Charitable and Benevolent Trust
- 13. New Business
- 14. Good of the Order
INTERMISSION
- 15. Call to Order.....President Brenda Ferri
- 16. Welcome and Introductions of Guests.....
President Brenda Ferri
- 17. Report of Cerebral Palsy.....Kandi Barks, PSP
- 18. Traveling Trophy.....Gene Bratcher, PDD
- 19. Presentation of Special Awards.....
President Brenda Ferri
- 20. PSP Robert. A. Guillen Award.....
President Brenda Ferri
- 21. Installation of Officers
- 22. Committee Appointments.....President
Dan Gutierrez
- 23. Report of Resolutions....Gerald Wheeler, PSP

Benediction – See you at the Banquet!!!