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## **The WMA Monthly Minute (August 2021)**

This is the second issue of the WMA Monthly Minute, a new means of communicating and sharing information on key events ongoing within our Association.

### **WMA Rebranding Launch:**

We invite you to a Zoom Webinar scheduled for next Saturday, 21 August, at 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time to hear about the Rebranding concept. We'll share the process WMA and our branding partner TOKY went through to achieve the finalized brand and what you, our members, can expect in the future regarding brand adoption.

**Please click the link below to join the webinar:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84852246441>

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### **Interim Board Meeting (IBM)**

The National Board of Directors plans to meet for our annual board meeting held in the off convention year. The IBM will be held (virtually) on 10-11 September to conduct the business of our Association, with a full report provided to the membership.

### **Governance Structure/Nomination and Election Process**

Based on the approval of the revised Bylaws and Standing Rules (see an updated version in the July issue of 'Nouncements), WMA is moving forward to redefine our eight (8) new Governing

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details in the Fall for opportunities to volunteer to run for an elected office and serve at the national level for the 2022-2024 term of office. All eight elected positions will be open for nominations. Be a part of WMA history and help to lead our Association into the future! For more information, contact our Nominating Committee at: [nominate@womenmarines.org](mailto:nominate@womenmarines.org)

## [Filing Chapter 990N](#)

Did your chapter end its Fiscal Year (F.Y.) on 30 June? If so, we have five months to complete your 990N postcard. I am happy to submit this for your chapter if you provide me with the following information:

- Chapter Name
- Principal Officer (Normally Treasurer--but can be President etc.)
- Address (either chapter or Principals)
- A statement that the chapter made under \$50,000 (no laughing!!!) and is still active
- Website if your chapter has one

Submit early and have it done for another Fiscal Year! For questions, please get in touch with Peggy Reiber, National Treasurer, at [Treasurer@womenmarines.org](mailto:Treasurer@womenmarines.org) or 760-521-9093.

## [2022 Convention Update:](#)

\*\*\*ANNOUNCEMENT\*\*\* The July issue of *'NOUNCEMENTS* included an article about the ability to make convention hotel room reservations beginning 1 August 2021...However, a few I.T. issues recently came to our attention and are being worked out by the hotel to accommodate our specific needs. We are very sorry to have to postpone reserving your hotel room at the Golden Nugget; however, as soon as the issues are resolved, we will notify you as quickly as possible. Thank you so much for your patience and understanding!

If you have any questions, please contact the 2022 Convention Coordinating Committee (NV-3 Chapter) at [convention@womenmarines.org](mailto:convention@womenmarines.org) or on the WMA 2022 Las Vegas Convention Facebook page.

## [Contact Information Updates](#)

To update our membership database, please send all contact information to include new address, email, etc. to include your choice on whether you want to receive your WMA publications either electronically or hard copy to our Membership Team at: [membership@womenmarines.org](mailto:membership@womenmarines.org)

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## [Monthly Minute Topics of Interest](#)

What do you want to hear more about in these monthly updates? We want to hear from you and appreciate your involvement in our Association! Provide your questions/comments regarding WMA governance structure or any essential topics of interest to our new email address of [listening@womenmarines.org](mailto:listening@womenmarines.org).

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