American Legion Auxiliary Department of Georgia 2023-2024 NATIONAL SECURITY REPORT

Please indicate the programs in which your unit participated, how many members participated, how many hours were spent, how many military service members and their family members were served and how much money was spent. To be eligible for an Award and Recognition, a narrative should be attached that describes details of events and how the monetary totals were calculated. <u>All photos should be sent as attachments</u>. **Annual report/narrative due on May 1st.**

Init #: Phone or email:					
	Yes	# of Unit Members Participating	# of Volunteer Hours	# of Military Serve d	Monetary Amount
A. Support active, reserve and transitioning military and families		1			
Present Blue and/or Gold Star banners					
Adopt an active duty or reserve unit or work with a Family Readiness Group					
Support Operation Homefront					
Assemble and send care packages to troops or their families					
Work with TAPS (Tragedy Assistance Program for Survivors)					
Refer military with financial needs to the American Red Cross					
Support the Yellow Ribbon Reintegration Program					
Greet military as they deploy and return from deployment					
Promote the USO, provide contributions and volunteer at centers					
Nominate a servicemember from one of the five branches for the Salute to Servicemembers Award					
3. Assist military spouses in getting and maintaining employment					
Serve as a mentor in the career e-mentoring network					
Support military and military spouse job fairs					
Seek grant funds to help military spouses start small businesses					
Create a scholarship fund for military spouses learning a new skill					
C. Support the National Security programs of The American Legion					_
Complete Community Emergency Response Training (CERT)					
Involved in the Citizen Corps Council					
Assemble emergency preparedness kits for families					
Work with post to host a POW/MIA ceremony on the third Friday of September					
Have a designated POW/MIA Empty Chair at all meetings					
Work with Legion to honor ROTC and JROTC cadets					
Support Operation Comfort Warrior					
Help your post identify candidates for The American Legion National Firefighter				·	
and National Law Enforcement Officer of the Year Award					
Did your unit sign up for the Legion's Legislative Action Alerts					