



**Resolution of Cooperation
Between
The Military Order of the World Wars, Inc.
And
United States Marines Youth Foundation, Inc.**



WHEREAS, The Military Order of the World Wars, Inc. ("MOWW") was founded in 1919 by officers who served under General of the Armies John Joseph Pershing to perpetuate the ideals of patriotism and Americanism, the promotion of National Security, the fostering of fraternal relations among all branches of the Armed Forces of the United States, and the defense of the honor, integrity, and supremacy of our National government and the Constitution of the United States, and,

WHEREAS the United States Marines Youth Foundation, Inc. ("USMYF") was established from the vision of Major General Walter A. Churchill, USMC (Ret.), who in 1958 recognized the need to provide programs that promote youth physical fitness, self-discipline, and positive values, and through initiatives such as its National Youth Physical Fitness Program which fosters healthy, drug-free lifestyles and the development of self-respect and personal excellence among America's youth, and,

WHEREAS, both organizations support youth-focused programs that encourage leadership, character development, and personal responsibility, contributing to the growth of engaged and capable citizens, and,

WHEREAS, both organizations promote values of patriotism, discipline, and dedication that contribute to strong communities and a stronger nation, and,

WHEREAS, both organizations share a commitment to strengthening our nation by developing character, leadership, and a spirit of service among America's youth, and,

WHEREAS, there exists a mutual desire to support one another's missions and to encourage participation in programs that benefit youth, education, and American ideals,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that The Military Order of the World Wars, Inc. and the United States Marines Youth Foundation, Inc. agree to cooperate in a spirit of mutual support by promoting and encouraging participation in each organization's youth programs and initiatives, including MOWW's Youth Leadership Conferences and Seminars and the National Youth Civics Summit, and USMYF's National Youth Physical Fitness Program, National High School Physical Fitness Championships, and the Semper



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Fi Award for Musical Excellence and by assisting in identifying and supporting students to participate in such programs and events, while supporting one another's activities in order to advance patriotic education, leadership development, character, physical fitness, and service to our nation.

In Witness Whereof, the undersigned representatives affirm this Resolution of Cooperation.

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93rd Commander-in-Chief
The Military Order of the World Wars, Inc.
Date: 15 July 2026

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President
United States Marines Youth Foundation,
Inc.
Date: 15 July 2026