

September 24, 2014

To Whom It May Concern:

As the president of the American Legion Riders Yoeme Post 125, I would like to take this opportunity to provide information about our members. We are American Legion members who ride motorcycles, and the main goal of our riders is to assist veterans; predominately veterans with the Yaqui Tribe.

The Legion Riders Yoeme Post 125 participates in the following:

- Visit veterans in hospitals and hospice centers.
- Serve meals to veterans at the blind rehabilitation center at the Veterans Hospital.
- Participates in celebrations, parades, ceremonies and funerals honoring veterans. For example, we participated in the Sixth Annual Gathering of American Indian Veterans, which is sponsored by the Coalition for American Indian Veterans of Southern Arizona, and we also participated in the annual Ira Hayes Day.
- We ride in support of the Patriot Guard Riders.
- On December 15th, 2013, we participated in Wreaths Across America, whose goal is to place wreaths on the graves of all veterans across the country. We assisted Gold Star Mothers with the wreaths at a cemetery in Tucson, and also placed wreaths on the graves of veterans from the Yaqui Tribe.
- We also participated in a motorcycle ride from Tucson to San Diego for a pizza party for hospitalized veterans and also provided countless needed toiletries and monetary donations.
- The American Legion Riders Yoeme Post 125 donates as a group to the Gary Sinise Foundation, which is an organization that assists wounded veterans.
- In March, 2013 and March, 2014, we participated in the Lori Piestewa Memorial Ride. We assisted the Navajo/Hopi Honor Riders with escorting the family to the memorial

- While our specific focus is veterans, we also participate in toy and food drives for low-income families during Christmas, as well as a Christmas party for underprivileged children.

Although American Indian/Alaskan Natives make up only one percent of the United States population, 20% have served in the U.S. Military; the highest percentage of any ethnic group. It is the goal of the American Legion Riders Yoeme Post 125 to give these veterans the recognition they deserve for their service and dedication to our country.

The sole source of funding for our organization comes from the members of our group or donations. Any financial contributions to our organization so that we may continue to help veterans would be deeply appreciated. If any additional information is needed please contact me at (520) 904-6677 or Benny Gomez, Adjutant, at (520) 444-3023.

Sincerely,

Warren Allison
President,
American Legion Riders Yoeme Post 125

CLAIM AGAINST PIMA COUNTY, ARIZONA

(1) Contract #(s):	(4) American Legion Post 125	(5) TIN:
(2) Period Covered:	(6) ADDRESS: 7418 S. Camino Vahcom; Tucson, Arizona 85757	
(3) CONTRACT ON FILE:	(7) MAILING INSTRUCTIONS: Please call Angie @8711 when check is ready for pick up.	

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<p>(19) FOR FINANCE DEPARTMENT USE ONLY</p> <p>AUDITED _____ VENDOR # _____ FACTOR # _____</p> <p>BY _____ APPROVED BY _____ DUE DATE _____</p>	<p>DIRECT PAYMENTS</p> <p>(21) DESCRIPTION: American Legion donation for Veterans</p>	<p>COUNTY DEPARTMENT CERTIFICATION: I have examined this demand; expenditure is for a valid public purpose and funds have been appropriated or are otherwise available for payment of this demand; and if the funds are from a Federal grant, contract or source, this demand is allowable under the terms of such grant, contract or source; and payment of the amount claimed is hereby approved.</p>
<p>(20) PURCHASING DEPARTMENT APPROVAL:</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>(22) DATE(S) COVERED:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">09/30/2014</p>	<p>APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR/DESIGNATED AUTHORITY:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">  _____ (23) SIGNATURE </p> <p style="text-align: right;"> 9/25/14 _____ DATE </p>