

The Grand York Rite Bodies of Freemasonry of Florida

The Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons • The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masons • The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar

JOINT (SINGLE) RESOLUTION FORM

Date 23 November 2020

Originating Body(s) Grand Commandery (Special Committee - Chair Henry Adams)

City/State/Zip 605 N. Ramona Ave. Indialantic, Fl. 32903

Officer(s) (Special Committee - Chair Henry Adams)

TO: Grand Chapter _____ Grand Council _____ Grand Commandery X

Regulation to be amended (Article, Section, Page, Paragraph, Line, etc.)

Grand Chapter _____

Grand Council _____

Grand Commandery NEW

LANGUAGE TO BE AMENDED (deleted, changed, etc.)

N/A

(continued on reverse)

Identification of amended Article, Section, Page, Paragraph, Line, etc.

Grand Chapter _____

Grand Council _____

Grand Commandery 43.03.05

NEW LANGUAGE

The Grand Commandery recognizes and approves the Grand Commandery Meritorious Service Medal (MSM), which is

which is available from the GEKT office. The Grand Commandery Meritorious Service Medal is available to all

Commanderies in Florida to award to one of their worthy members. Only once such award per Commandery may be

awarded in a calendar year. The criteria for the award is attached as an appendix.

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Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Florida

Meritorious Service Medal (MSM)

1. **Grading Criteria:** During the last quarter of the year, each Dais Officer (namely the Commander, Generalissimo and Captain General), will nomination a Sir Knight from their Commandery for the MSM award using the form below. The nomination should be with the following criteria:
- (A) Minimum of five years of service as a Knights Templar, with at least three years of service with current commandery.
 - (B) Meeting
 - (a) Attendance must attend at least seventy-five percent of the meetings available to members.
 - (b) Attend District meetings.
 - (c) Participate in tri-District Grand Commandery meetings, virtual or otherwise.
 - (d) Attend current established "Festival" events, (most especially Knight Templar degrees.)
 - (e) Attend meetings with other Commanderies, other than those of personal membership.
 - (C) Serve on at least one committee.
 - (D) Must demonstrate a knowledge of the full manual of Arms for the Commandery.
 - (E) Volunteer for presenting Masonic Education and conduct the class.
 - (F) Proficient in the ritual (i.e. the office currently appointed to or if not an appointed officer in a position used during the conferral of the Order)

2. **A. Board Score Sheet:** _____

Board Criteria judged: **Yes = 1 point No = 0 point**

	Yes	No	Points
1. Does the recommended SK have a minimum of five years as a Knight and three years in current Commandery? (MANDATORY)			
2. Has SK attended a minimum of 75% of the meetings this current year? (MANDATORY)			
3. Has SK attended District and or Zone meetings?			
4. Has SK performed parts or otherwise supported Festivals?			
5. Has the SK served on a committee? Membership, KTEF, HLP			
6. Proficient in Manual of Arms.			
7. Attends Commandery Meetings other than his own			
8. A willingness to provide Masonic Education and conduct a class.			
9. Memory Proficient in his Officer Position? (MANDATORY)			

A score of 7 is a recommended as a minimum acceptable score.

Commander _____
 Generalissimo _____
 Captain General _____
 Total: _____ Divide by three = Average _____ (the SK with the highest score should be selected.)

Signed by each Board member _____



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