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2025 NGAUS GENERAL CONFERENCE ANNOUNCEMENT

You are invited to attend the 2025 National Guard Association of the United States (NGAUS) General Conference in **Milwaukee, WI starting on 22 August and running thru 25 August 2025!** Conference activities will be held at the **Baird Center**.

For the Tennessee attendees, the conference activities will begin at **5pm on Friday, 22 August** with registration packet pick-up at the **Tennessee Caucus Meeting at the Westin Milwaukee Hotel** (meeting room TBD). The last official activity will be the **States Dinner on Monday Night, August 25**.

CONFERENCE HIGHLIGHTS:

Friday, 22 August-

NGAUS Golf Tournament (The Bog Golf Course)
Sport Fishing (Port Washington Marina)
Motorcycle Ride (House of Harley-Davidson)
Joint Resolutions Committee
Tennessee Caucus Meeting- 5pm at TBD
Company Grade/Warrant Officer Mixer (Mecca Sports Bar and Grill)
Senior Warrant Officer Mixer (Gather at the Deer District)

Saturday, 23 August-

Fun Run (Veterans Park)
Company Grade Officer Professional Development
Army/Air Resolutions Committee
Area III Caucus
Exhibit Hall Ribbon Cutting
Opening Ceremony/Roll Call of States
Governors Reception (Discovery World)

Sunday, 24 August-

Second Business Session

Retired/Separated Caucus/Lunch (Harley-Davidson Museum)

Warrant Officer Caucus/Lunch

Spouse Seminar

Spouse Luncheon (Pritzlaff Building)

Company Grade Officer Professional Development - 2nd Session

Task Force Meetings

Hospitality Night (Multiple Locations)

Monday, 25 August-

Air/Army Separate Sessions

Third Business Session

Company Grade Officer Professional Development - 3rd Session

States Dinner (Supper Club)

HOTEL: The Tennessee delegation will be staying at the beautiful **Westin Milwaukee (Marriott)**. The hotel is in downtown Milwaukee, 1 mile from the **Baird Center**. NGATN will reserve your room upon receipt of your Registration Form. **Do not contact the hotel directly!** Rooms will be reserved on a first come, first served basis. **Room rate is \$174 per night plus tax.** Cost for parking is \$25 per day. Bus transportation will be provided for all conference events.

DELEGATES: Tennessee will be allocated approximately 45 Delegates. **The NGATN Executive Council will determine Delegates from those Members who Register.** Delegates registration fees will be paid by NGATN, but Delegates are responsible for all other costs to include *hospitality room fees*. **Delegates are expected to attend the Business Sessions and Breakouts!**

REGISTRATION PROCESS:

- 1) Go to www.ngatn.org and print off a copy of the **Registration Form** or print the attached copy.
- 2) Submit your **Registration Form NLT 30 June 2025** to the NGATN Conference Coordinator, JJ Clemons at jj@ngatn.org or call the office at (615) 833-9100.

- 3) A **Room Deposit of \$100.00** per room is required, along with the Registration Form. This deposit will be applied to your final statement for hotel accommodations. NGAUS will not refund advance room deposits on cancellations received after **14 July 2025**. The hotel will honor the reduced rate for two (2) days prior to the Conference and two (2) days after the Conference. A credit card is **REQUIRED** for Reservations. (NOTE: Credit Card Expiration Date must be no earlier than September 2025.)
- 4) The **Registration Fee** covers admission to the General Conference, Exhibit Hall, Hospitality Night, Spouses Luncheon, States Dinner and other selected Conference activities. Events that require additional payment include Golf, Fun Run, Sport Fishing, Motorcycle Ride and Retiree Luncheon. **If you are selected to be a Delegate your Registration Fee will be returned!**
- 5) Everyone pays the **\$25 Hospitality Room** per person fee.
- 6) *After submitting your Registration Form you will receive additional conference information.* Information will include the Conference Registration confirmation, Delegate List, Conference Agenda, Dress Guidelines, Committee/Task Force assignments and more detailed information about the Conference and the city of Milwaukee. **All Cancellations are subject to a \$15.00 Cancellation Fee.**

Everyone is encouraged to visit our website at www.ngatn.org or NGAUS website at www.ngaus.org for more information. Check out the **147th NGAUS Conference page** for hotel information, the preliminary agenda and all the exciting events scheduled for you and your spouse/guest. Make your plans now to attend and be part of this year's conference! See you in Milwaukee!!

Call the NGATN office at (615) 833-9100 if you have any questions!!

Sincerely,



LTC Meredith Richardson
President