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TO: All Branches
For Information of Members of Command Executive Council

FROM: Michelle Courtney, Executive Director, BC/Yukon Command

SUBJECT: Poppy Campaign Update #2

Memo 60.25

Deadline for Poppy & Wreath Orders: Friday, October 24th

Comrades,

The Poppy Campaign is only 10 days away! Please read the below information for all updates on this year's Poppy Campaign since our last update on October 10th.

To read the Poppy Campaign Update from October 10th, please refer to Circular #58.25 attached.

Poppy and Wreath Orders

Due to ongoing supply chain delays from the Canada Post strike, and increased pressure on other couriers, Dominion Command cannot guarantee delivery of Poppy supplies and wreaths after this Friday, October 24th. To avoid any disruptions, Branches should place their orders as soon as possible by emailing info@legionbcyukon.ca or by calling (604) 575-8840. Poppy and Wreath order forms are also attached to this circular.

Additionally, Legion Supply has seen some shipments being returned by UPS, and are actively working to resolve this issue.

Updates on Provincial Partnerships – British Columbia

- **BC Ferries** – BC Ferries has agreed to allow outside tagging at their facilities. They ask that Branches reach out to their local terminals and make arrangements for Poppy deliveries and/or tagging. As of earlier today, BC/Yukon Command has provided each participating Branch with this contact information. An authorization letter is not being provided as this is not required.
- **TransLink** – BC/Yukon Command and TransLink have finalized an agreement to allow Poppy canvassing at TransLink hubs, including major bus loops and SkyTrain stations. All work must be done outside of fare paid zones. The authorization letter is attached to this circular.

Due to the current strike, it is unknown at this time whether BC Cannabis and Liquor Stores will be open by the start of the Poppy Campaign. Once we receive an update, we will notify Branches if and when stores will reopen, along with the approval letters. At this time, Branches should not contact these stores.

National Youth Remembrance Contests

For full contest information, resources, submission procedures, and important updates, please visit:

- Legion National HQ: [National Youth Remembrance Contests](#)
- BC/Yukon Command: [Information for Students](#)

- Branch Corner: [Information for Schools and Branches](#)

For questions, please contact the BC/Yukon Command office at info@legionbcyukon.ca or by phone at (604) 575-8840.

In comradeship,

Michelle