Director announce that the meeting is about to open with one rap of the gavel.

The Sergeant of Arms will close the meeting hall doors.

When ready the Director gives three raps

The colors of our country being in their proper position, render a right hand salute.

Two

All members and guests in attendance shall remain standing with their cap removed and placed over the heart for the Opening prayer, POW/MIA Ceremony and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Chaplain will offer prayer.

An empty chair draped with the POW/MIA flag shall be our physical symbol of the thousands of American POW/MIAs still unaccounted for from all wars and conflicts involving the United States of America. This empty chair shall serve as a reminder for all of us to spare no effort to secure the release of any American prisoner from captivity, the repatriation of the remains of those who died bravely in defense of liberty, and a full account of those still missing. Let us rededicate ourselves for this vital endeavor.

You will now recite with me the Pledge of Allegiance.

I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands one Nation under god, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Everyone will cover.

You will recite with me the preamble of the Constitution of the Riders of Missouri

For God and Country,

we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:

to promote and support programs of the American Legion;

to participate in parades and other ceremonies;

to promote motorcycle safety programs;

to provide a social atmosphere for American Legion members, who share the same interest;

to uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order;

and to foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism.

One rap of gavel to seat members

I now declare this Conference/Convention of the American Legion Riders, Department of Missouri regularly convened

Order of Business

Roll Call of Officers

Reading of the minutes from the previous meeting

Introduction of guests

Membership

Finance Report

Director Appointments
Riders Activities
Americanism
Nominating

Budget
Public Relations
Children and Youth

Reports of	Committees	and Chapters
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Unfinished business

New business

Correspondence

**Immediate Past Director** 

**Directors Comments** 

**Advisors Comments** 

Good of the Riders

Is there any further business to come before the meeting?

If not the Chaplain will lead us in Closing Prayer

Uncover

Amen

Cover

Till we meet again let us remember our obligation to our Country can be fulfilled only by the faithful performance of all duties of citizenship. Let service to the community, state and nation be ever an objective of Riders of Missouri and its members. Let us ever be watchful of the honor of

our Country, our organization and ourselves, that nothing shall swerve us from the path of Justice, Freedom and Democracy.

Our next meeting will be

The colors of our country being in the proper position those covered render a right hand salute.

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I now declare this Conference/Convention of the American Legion Riders, Department of Missouri adjourned.

One rap of the gavel.