Criteria for Event Application

The following criteria must be met to be considered as a National Historic Site & Celebration:

- 1. <u>A recognized battle or event</u> of the Revolution must have occurred at or near the proposed location
- 2. <u>Established history</u> of an event being held by NSSAR Chapter(s) or State Society
- 3. Evidence of participation by multiple NSSAR State Societies, Chapters and National Officers along with other Historical/Patriotic/Veterans organizations (DAR, CAR, SR, Historical Societies, etc.) at the event
- 4. A history of leadership of the event that indicates that it will continue into the future
- 5. In a state with no Revolutionary War battle or event sites, an explanation as to why the proposed event should be considered of national significance
- 6. A written packet of information prepared for distribution to the Committee 30 days in advance of committee meetings at Spring and Fall Leadership and to contain:
 - o A discussion of items 1. thru 5. above.
 - o Information about the battle or
 - Evidence as to why it is important that the event be considered of national significance.

As a note, the National SAR Color Guard Committee recognizes additional holidays and events occurring at multiple locations so that individual members can more easily qualify for certain Color Guard medals.

- A. The Massing of Colors is now applicable to any such event held in any location across the nation on any date.
- B. Fields of Honor/Healing Field,
- C. Memorial Day,
- D. July 4th,
- E. Veterans Day
- F. Wreaths Across America