



PATRICIA FRENCH BARGER

Honorary State Regent
**Candidate for the Office of Vice
 President General**

Join Date: February 7, 2009
 Chapter: Lew Wallace
 Endorsed by: New Mexico State
 Organization, NSDAR

National Service:

Life Member serving the Wright Administration as the National Vice-Chair DAR Scholarship Committee for the Arthur Lockwood Beneventi Law Scholarship. Sustaining Supporter (Charter Member), and belongs to the Heritage Club, 1890 Giving Circle and has participated in the Guardian Trust Campaign and President Generals' Project since joining DAR in 2009. Member of the DAR All American Chorus, supports the Junior 5K, was the 2020 Golden West Tea Chair and is a member of the NSDAR State Regents Club, State Vice Regents Club and National Officers Club.

State Service:

NM State Regent 2021-2023, NM State Vice Regent 2019-2021, NM 2nd Vice Regent 2017-2019 and State Historian 2015-2017. Chaired NM State Committees to include: Historic Preservation, American History, Santa Fe Trail Bicentennial, Conservation, Vietnam War 50th; served as President of Chapter Regents' Club, State Officers Club, and Cameo Society.

Chapter Service:

Lew Wallace Chapter Regent from 2013-2017, 1st Vice Regent from 2011-2013. Chaired multiple chapter committees to include: Historic Preservation, DAR Schools, Service to America, Conservation, Americanism, American History, Community Classroom, DAR Project Patriot, Special Projects Grants, Commemorative Events, President General's Project, National Defense, Finance, Junior American Citizens, Service for Veterans, Vietnam War 50th, C.A.R, Constitution Week, American Indians, The Flag of the United States of America and DAR Good Citizen. Successfully submitted proposals for a Special Projects Grant and a Hellen Pouch Memorial Fund Classroom grant.

Non-DAR Information:

Recording Secretary for Zebulon Montgomery Pike C.A.R. Society and the New Mexico State Society C.A.R. For support of the SAR received all four medals that SAR presents to women: Daughters of Liberty Medal, Martha Washington Medal, Lydia Darragh Medal and SAR Medal of Appreciation.

Community activities include serving on the board of a charter school and New Mexico Fisher House, certified as a Master Gardener, Master Composter and Climate Master, serves on the board of Keep New Mexico Beautiful and as Chairman of the Rio Ranch Parks and Recreation Commission. United Way of Central New Mexico chair of grant review panel

Education:

B.A., Summa Cum Laude, Business and Management, University of Maryland; post-graduate studies in International Relations, Georgetown University; Juris Doctor University of LaVerne; degree in Interior Design, University of California at Riverside. Certified personal property appraiser.