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Williams of Tennessee elected New 40 & 8 National Commander

INDIANAOPLIS October 5, 2018 The national Forty & Eight veterans organization is pleased to announce Willard "RICK" Williams was elected *Chef de Chemin de Fer*, or National Commander, at its 99th annual National Convention, on September 15, 2018 in Louisville, Kentucky.

Following graduation from high school Chef de Chemin de Fer Williams entered the United States Marine Corps in July 1968. A Viet Nam veteran he served with exemplary service with the Marines for twenty years, retiring as a Gunnery Sergeant in August 1988. Once again in civilian life he retired in 2016 from the United States Postal Service as Officer in Charge of the Calhoun, TN postal region. He is the proud father and grand-father of two adult children and eight grand-children. He currently resides in Cleveland, Tennessee.

Chef Williams has served his Grand (State) and the National organization of the Forty & Eight in multiple high offices working for the betterment of the organization. He is a Paid for Life member not only in the Forty and Eight, but also the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Fleet Marine Association.

The Forty & Eight is committed to charitable and patriotic aims. Membership is by invitation, and open only to honorable discharged veterans, and those honorably serving members of the United States Armed Services. More information on membership can be obtained by going to the Home page of www.fortyandeight.org and submit your name and contact information.