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## MEETING MINUTES

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**Committee:** Veterans  
**Date:** Monday, August 14, 2017  
**Time:** 1:30 PM  
**Location:** Health Services Center Board Room, 1225 Langlade Rd., Antigo, WI

The following discussion was held by the Committee at the meeting detailed above:

1. Meeting called to order at 1:30 P.M.
2. Roll call was conducted.

Water & Land Use Planning Committee		
Name	Role	Status
Jim Jansen	Chair	Present
Richard Schuh	Member	Present
Richard Hurlbert	Member	Present
Non-Committee Members Present		
Name	Interest	
John Zenkovich	CVSO	
Mary Lex	Deputy CVSO	
Dale Oatman		
Dan Kamps		
Steve Bradley		

3. The Committee recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
4. The Committee observed a moment of silence as the names of all Veterans that have passed away, since the last Committee meeting, were read.
5. Approval of previous meeting minutes. Motion by Schuh. Second by Hurlbert to approve the meeting minutes for the July 10, 2017 meeting. All Ayes, No Nays. Motion carried.
6. Approve 2018 and tentative 2019 departmental budgets. Motion by Schuh, second by Hurlbert to approve the 2018 and tentative 2019 budgets.

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<sup>1</sup> Please note that, upon reasonable notice, efforts will be made to accommodate the needs of disabled individuals through appropriate aids and services. For additional information or to request this service, contact the Veterans Service Office, 1225 Langlade Road, Antigo, Wisconsin 54409. Telephone: (715) 627-6545.



7. Public Comment on agenda items, and consideration of requests for items to be added to future meeting agendas
  
8. Veterans Office Update  
Steve Bradley commented on the 40 et 8 Grande Promenade on August 3 – 7 held in St. Croix Falls. Attendance from Langlade County included Dick Schuh, Steve Bradley, Dale Oatman, Jack Eaton, and Don Emley. Also in attendance was Andrew Hopfensperger, City of Antigo Police Officer, who received the Law Officer of the Year Award given by the 40 et 8.  
John stated that the Elcho Outreach on August 9 went very well and many veterans were helped that day. The office will continue this outreach every other month to reach out to the veterans who find it difficult to come into Antigo.  
Important dates to remember are:  
August 21<sup>st</sup> the office will be closed due to White Lake Outreach  
August 28 and 29<sup>th</sup> the office will be closed so John can attend a PTSD seminar in Marquette, Michigan.  
September 4 the office will be closed for Labor Day.  
September 15 the budget will be presented to the finance committee.  
September 18 to the 22 the office will be closed for the Fall CVSO Conference which will be held in Oshkosh.  
President Trump signed the VA funding for the Choice Card. The carrier will no longer be Health Net.  
The Post 911 GI Bill has the 15 year limit dropped so this will enable veterans who served after 2005 to seek schooling forever.  
Tri-Care in Wisconsin on the first of January will change carriers from Health Net to Humana.  
This region will now be Tri Care East instead of Tri Care North.
  
9. Schedule next meeting. Next meeting scheduled for September 11 at 1:30 p.m.. Tentative October 9 at 1:30 p.m. at the Health Services Center Board Room.
  
10. Adjourn the meeting. Motion by Hurlbert to adjourn, second by Schuh. Meeting adjourned at 2:25 p.m

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County Clerk

Parties Involved

## Meeting Minutes (Continued)

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