

Minutes of Lantlade County Veterans Committee Meeting

The meeting was called to order on Monday, July 11, 2016 at 1:30 p.m. by committee chairman Jim Jansen, the Pledge of Allegiance was recited and a moment of silence was observed for the veterans associated with the Lantlade County Veterans Office whom have passed away since the last committee meeting.

Members present: James Jansen, Larry Poltrock and Richard Schuh.

Others Present: John Zenkovich, Mary Lex, Marie Schuh, Dan Kamps, Bob Graupner and Tom Matucheski.

Agenda Item #4. Approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting held June 13, 2016.

Motion by Dick Schuh to approve the agenda and the minutes from the previous meeting held June 13, 2016. Motion seconded by Larry Poltrock. All ayes. Motion carried.

Agenda Item #5. Approve Budget Summary.

Motion by Larry Polrock to approve the budget summary report. Motion seconded by Dick Schuh. All ayes. Motion carried.

Agenda Item #6. Public Comment on Agenda Items and consideration of requests for items to be added to future meeting agendas.

Agenda Item #7 Public Comment

Marie Schuh commented on what a nice service was held in White Lake on July 3 at the church. This service honors all the local veterans. There were about 60 that were honored this year. Bob Graupner commented that during the service a powerpoint with pictures of the veterans is shown. Reverend Kendall is the spearhead of this program.

Agenda Item #8 Veterans Issues and Office Updates

John stated the commission meeting is scheduled for next Wednesday at 5:00. Dan Kamps is the president of the commission committee. There have not been many applications this year as of yet. Four veterans have been helped this quarter.

John stated he has two resolutions that he prepared to bring before the board. The first resolution is for the CVSO position and regionalization of CVSOs in the state. It involves asking the state legislatures not to adopt this bill.

The second resolution is about the CVSO Block Grant and how it is applied for. Hopefully the procedure to obtain the grant will go back to the previous year by using salary as an expense which the grant may apply to.

Several counties have already sent this to the state.

John commented that our office is not just worried about losing our jobs but we care about what we do for our veterans and want to keep our office local so it is easier for our veterans to get help.

Motion to support the resolution on the CVSO position and regionalization of CVSOs made by Larry Poltrock, seconded by Dick Schuh. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion to support the resolution of the CVSO Block Grant made by Larry Poltrock, seconded by Dick Schuh. All ayes. Motion carried.

Agenda Item #9. Set Date for August Meeting and Tentative Date for September

The committee scheduled the next meeting for Monday, August 8, 2016 at 1:30 pm. September's meeting is tentatively scheduled for Monday, September 12, 2016 at 1:30 pm.

Agenda Item #10. Adjourn the meeting.

Motion by Richard Schuh to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded by Larry Poltrock. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 2:00 p.m.

Submitted by,
Mary Lex