

Minutes of Lnglade County Veterans Committee Meeting

The meeting was called to order on Monday, June 13, 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 Lnglade County Veterans Office whom have passed away since the last committee meeting.

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

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

Agenda Item #4. Approve the agenda and minutes of the previous meeting held May 09, 2016.

Motion by Dick Schuh to approve the agenda and amend and approve the minutes from the previous meeting held May 09, 2016. Motion seconded by Jim Jansen. All ayes. Motion carried.

Agenda Item #5. Approve Budget Summary.

Motion by Richard Schuh to approve the budget summary report. Motion seconded by Jim Jansen. 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

Tom Matucheski commented that the Elks Lodge will hold their Flag Day Ceremony June 13 at Music in the Park at 6:00 pm.

Tom also stated that the DAV will hold its meeting on Wednesday, June 15th at Post 3 American Legion Hall at 8:00 pm.

Karl's Transport is holding their annual Vietnam Veteran picnic on Saturday, June 18, at the Hudson Street Park. All veterans are invited. Always a great time and many in attendance. Food is served and prizes are given out to the veterans.

Fourth of July Parade will be on the 2nd at White Lake. It is assumed the Parade will also be on the 2nd for Antigo. There will be a wagon again for the older veterans to ride on in the parade.

Marie Schuh commented that she was disappointed there was not any coverage of the nice Memorial Day festivities that took place at Elcho and Summit Lake this year. The parade covers 8 cemeteries in the community.

John stated the flags will remain in the cemeteries until after the Fourth of July. Our office will be ordering flags and holders again for next year.

Steve Bradley commented that the flags at Arlington Cemetery are removed the day after Memorial Day.

Marie Schuh stated that King Day is Sunday, June 19th at King Veterans Home.

Agenda Item #8 Veterans Issues and Office Updates

John stated the WDVA CVSO grant submission for the second half was changed from submitting payment proof for qualified expenses for our office to just a one page document signed by Gary Olsen, finance director. John submitted that document to WDVA today. Our county should be reimbursed \$4110 more for this year. We requested some of the transportation expenses because those are reimbursed dollar for dollar which means we will not get as much money from our travel grant.

John stated that Friday, June 24, the office will be closed because John and Mary will be attending a NECVSO meeting in Oneida County.

Jim Jansen questioned whether outreach points were set up in White Lake and Elcho.

John replied that WI FI is required and we are in the process of setting up in both towns and fall will now be the target date.

Steve Bradley questioned if the regionalization of the CVSO offices will be brought up again in the future.

John replied that it will probably be on the legislative agenda when the legislature reconvenes in January so everyone will know in advance when it is brought up. It will be unlikely that there will not be any notification ahead of time.

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

The committee scheduled the next meeting for Monday, July 11, 2016 at 1:30 pm. August's meeting is tentatively scheduled for Monday, August 8, 2016 at 1:30 pm.

Agenda Item #10. Adjourn the meeting.

Motion by Richard Schuh to adjourn the meeting. Motion seconded by James Jansen. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting was adjourned at 2:10 p.m.

Submitted by,
Mary Lex