

VETERANS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION OF WINNEBAGO COUNTY 555 Court Street, Rockford, IL 61103 – 815-516-2850 – vac@vac.wincoil.gov

AGENDA

Date: <u>8 May 2024</u> @ 1730

I. OPENING

Hybrid Meeting held in person at the 404 Elm St Street, Rockford, IL 61101 Room 303 and via Zoom Meetings (internet-based meeting platform). If able, please stand for our opening ceremonies. Salute Flag, Pledge of Allegiance, Moment of Silence.

- 1st. Motion Roll Call of Commission Officers, Certified Organizations Delegates & Alternates that are **Present In-Person.**
- 2nd. Motion to allow Zoom Attendees to join and participate in the Meeting

by:2 nd <u>by</u>	*R/C Vote: YI	N AB_	Result of Vote:
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Recognition of Guests and Visitors: Jesus Pereira, Superintendent;

- A. Accept the AGENDA: Are there any additions or changes to be made?
 NOTE: A vote would need to be taken and passed by a two-thirds majority vote or fail. Any other board member has the right to move the motion forward. <u>Consideration of an item of new business or old business is limited to deliberation and discussion, and does not include the taking of action.</u>¹
- 3rd.
 *Motion is presented by reading of the agenda. 2nd_____*Voice Vote: Y___N___

 AB
 Result of Vote:

B. PUBLIC COMMENTS – There is a 3-minute time limit. Comments only NO questions.

- **C.** Reading and Disposition of minutes for February, March, and April Advisory Workshop Minutes will be presented in June 12, 2024.
- 4th.
 *Motion is presented by the reading of last month's minutes. 2nd

 Voice Vote:
 Y_N_AB_ Result of Vote:

II. REPORTS

A. VAC-Administration Reports

1. President

- **a.** Welcome commissioners and guests
- **b.** FOIA & OMA training required by May 30, 2024.
- c. Election of Services Coordinator

¹ (Rice v. Board of Trustees of Adams County, 326 Ill. App. 3d 1120, 762 N.E.2d 1205 (Ill. App. Ct. 2002), 2002)



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- 5th.
 *Motion to accept President's Report 1st _____ 2nd _____

 *Voice Vote: Y_N_AB_ Result of Vote: ______
 - 2. Administrative Coordinator
 - **a.** 05/09 Advisory Workshop -Discuss issues from last Commission meeting 1300hrs 922 7th St Rockford Illinois
 - b. 05/09 Personnel Committee Recommend additions to Personnel Manual 1400hrs 922 7th St Rockford Illinois
 - i. Who would like to participate on the Personnel Committee?
 - **c.** 05/09 Appeals Committee 1500hrs 922 7th St Rockford Illinois
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 - d. 06/06 Advisory Workshop. Agenda prep for 06/12 Commission meeting 1300hrs 922 7th St Rockford Illinois.
 - e. 06/06 Bylaws Committee. Bylaw review 1400hrs 922 7th St Rockford Illinois.
 i. Who would like to participate on the Bylaws Committee?
 - f. 06/12 Commission Meeting 1730hrs 404 Elm St Street, Rockford, IL 61101 Room 303
 - g. Everyone is encouraged to join all of these workshops, committees, and meetings! Workshops are held during business hours to accommodate the Superintendent and Secretary's schedules.
- 6th. *Motion to accept Administrative Coordinator Report 1st _____ 2nd _____ 2nd _____

3. Services Coordinator

- a. Personnel Committee
 - i. New Leave policy will be discussed on 05/09/2024
- b. Services Committee
 - i. Services Manual Implementation began on 05/01/2024
- 7th.
 *Motion to accept the Personnel Committee Report 1st _____ 2nd _____

 *Voice Vote: Y_N_ AB_ Result of Vote: _____
- 8th. *Motion to accept Services Committee Report 1st _____ 2nd _____ Voice Vote: Y N AB Result of Vote:

4. Finance Coordinator

- **a.** 43.7% of budget YTD utilized.
- **b.** Budget utilization expected increase during the remainder of the FY.
- c. \$174,860.15 balance in the Illinois Bank and Trust account.
- d. Capitalization account creation.
- e. See meeting packet for reports.



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9th.	*Motion to acc	cept	: Finar	nce Coordinator Report. 1 st	 _ 2 nd	
	<u>*</u> R/C vote: Y	N	AB	Result of Vote:		

B. Superintendent Operations Report

- 1. Office Updates
- 2. Interactions
- 3. General Assistance
- 4. Emergency Assistance
- 5. Veteran Service Officers Forms Completed
- 6. Outreach
- 7. Transportation
- **8.** If your phone number or email has changed, please let VAC-A Secretary know via email message with NEW EMAIL Address /NEW PHONE Number as the Subject.

10th.	*Motion to accept Superintendent reports as given.1 st					d
	*Voice Vote: Y_	_N	_ AB	_Result of Vote:		

III. CORRESPONDENCE

IV. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

V. NEW BUSINESS

A. Election of Services Coordinator

VI. VETERAN COMMUNITY EVENTS

- A. 22nd of every month remembering those who have committed suicide.
- B. Remember Red Friday for our Deployed Service members.
- C. Looking for Volunteer Drivers and Coordinators.
- **D.** Send or bring in flyers for your up-coming events soon they will be going up on our website.
- E. See attached information about upcoming community events.

VII. CLOSING

- A. Closing Ceremonies
- B. Next Full Commission Meeting is on 12 June 2024 at 1730 hours

 11th.
 *Motion to Adjourn. ______ 2nd _____

 *Voice Vote: ____ Ayes ____ Nays

Meeting Adjourned at: _____