

THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN

VETERANS AFFAIRS & REHABILITATION COMMITTEE

Midwinter Conference
Friday, January 19, 2024
1:00 PM

MINUTES

Committee Chair Steve Krueger called the meeting to order at 1:00 PM with a salute to the colors, the Invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken with the following in attendance:

Steve Krueger, Chair
Steve Conto, Vice Chair
Julia Atkinson, Member
Rich Ruland, Member
Dale Oatman, Member
Gary Meyer, Employment Chair
Dan Jakubczyk, Hospital Chair
James Fialkowski, Department Service Officer, Consultant
Jeff Zwiers, Camp American Legion Committee Chair, Consultant
Dave Steinert, DEC Liaison
Karl Stuvengen, Department Commander, Ex Officio
Julie Muhle, Department Adjutant, Consultant

Excused:

Ron Kuta, Member
Tim Baranzky, Homeless Veterans Task Force Chair

Motion by Dale Oatman, second by Julia Atkinson to accept the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion Carried.

Motion by Julia Atkinson, second by Dale Oatman to accept the Hospital Committee report. Motion Carried.

Motion by Rich Ruland, second by Dale Oatman to accept the Homeless Veterans Task Force report. Motion Carried.

Motion by Dale Oatman, second by Julia Atkinson to accept the Employment Report. Motion Carried.

Motion by Julia Atkinson, second by Dale Oatman to accept the Camp American Legion report. Motion Carried.

Motion by Rich Ruland, second by Dale Oatman to accept the Cremated Remains report. Motion Carried.

Commander Karl addressed the committee.

Motion by Dale Oatman, second by Julia Atkinson to accept the Department Service Officer report. Motion Carried.

The Action Plan was carried over to the Spring Meeting.

Motion by Julia Atkinson, second by Rich Ruland to endorse the Plan & Action Plan for the Cremated Remains and forward to the DEC for approval. Motion Carried.

Dale Oatman will be attending the Washington Conference and discussed National's Legislative agenda.

Meeting adjourned per ritual at 2:35 PM.

Respectfully Submitted;

Steve Krueger
Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Committee Chair