

THE AMERICAN LEGION DEPARTMENT OF WISCONSIN

VETERANS AFFAIRS & REHABILITATION COMMITTEE

Midwinter Conference
Friday, January 13, 2023
1:00 PM

MINUTES

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

Roll Call was taken with the following in attendance:

Steve Krueger, Vice Chair
Bill Crowley, Member
Ron Kuta, Member
Rich Ruland, Member
Steve Conto, Member
Gary Meyer, Employment Chair
Dan Jakubczyk, Hospital Chair
James Fialkowski, Department Service Officer, Consultant
Denise Jamrozy, Camp American Legion Chair, Consultant
Jerry Hook, DEC Liaison
Julie Muhle, Department Commander, Ex-Officio
Nathan Gear, Department Adjutant, Consultant

Excused:

Tim Baranzky, Homeless Veterans Task Force Chair
Clifford Stanisch, Chair

Motion by Ron Kuta, second by Rich Ruland to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Motion Carried.

Status on the Cremated Remains Chair, Steve Conto.

Motion by Rich Ruland, second by Dan Jakubczyk to forward the resolution to Department Convention. Motion Carried.

Reports of the Employment Chair, Hospital Chair, Department Service Office, Camp and Homeless Veterans Task Force Chair were presented.

Motion by Dan Jakubczyk, second by Steve Conto to approve the reports. Motion Carried.

Gary Meyer gave a report on the Vets Ready Program. Current partners are DWD, WDVA, DAV and Veterans Chamber of Commerce. He asks that The American Legion join this partnership. It would require 1 individual to do scoring of the Vets Ready Program.

Motion by Rich Ruland, second by Dan Jakubczyk that the committee requests the Department Commander appoint someone to represent the Legion on the Vets Ready Committee. Motion Carried.

Meeting was adjourned per ritual at 2:15 PM.

Respectfully Submitted;

Steve Krueger
Veterans Affairs & Rehabilitation Vice Chair