AMVETS DEPARTMENT OF NY STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING FEBRUARY 29, MARCH 1 & 2, 2024 BINGHAMTON, NY

AGENDA

THURSDAY FEBRUARY 29, 2024 1930 Hrs.

Executive Board and Service Foundation Joint Meeting (Closed) - Lower Board Room

FRIDAY MARCH 1, 2024

1000 Hrs.

Service Foundation Meeting (Closed) - TBD

1400 Hrs.

Finance Committee Roundtable

Service Foundation Roundtable

AMVETS Training

Open Forum - Q&A from members

Zone Directors Meeting

SATURDAY MARCH 2, 2024 JOINT OPENING CEREMONY (AMVETS Family) 0900 Hrs.

Posting of Colors

Invocation by Auxiliary Chaplain Mary Gilbert

Pledge of Allegiance

Remarks by E.D. Rich Rossi, Auxiliary President Chickie George, Sons Commander Lee Smith,

Riders President Brandon Erskine, AMVETS Commander Joe Ashman

Benediction by Sons Chaplain Tom Chiaro

GENERAL SESSION

1000 Hrs.

Meeting Called to Order

Invocation

Pledge of Allegiance

POW/MIA Moment of Silence

Preamble

Roll Call of Officers & Posts

Recognition of Past National and Department Commanders

Minutes of Fall SEC

GUEST SPEAKERS

Ladies Auxiliary National President - Amy Stropyra

AMVETS National Membership Director - Warren Cox

(Warren will discuss membership and provide some training on the Springly Website)

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ONE HOUR BREAK FOR LUNCH

OFFICER REPORTS

Empire AMVET

Commander Joe Ashman 1st Vice John Foster 2nd Vice John McCullough 3rd Vice Loretta DiBrino **Chuck Harrison Provost Marshall** Dave Feary Judge Advocate Marty Bugaj NEC Rich DeJesu **Service Foundation** Dave Feary **Executive Director** Rich Rossi

DSO Bill Seigel
Women's Veterans Carmela Rigoli
Legislative Chair Bob Becker
Resolutions Marty Bugaj
Riders Brandon Erskine
Americanism John Turner

Drug/Alcohol Tom Asher/Jim Owens

Darrin Keach

PRO Howard Gushue Grievance Comm Jim Lanphere Finance Committee Hal Queyor **Audit Committee** Mark Wehrfritz Inspector General Les Baker, Sr. Web Master Joe Ashman **ROTC** Carlo Milillo **Sons Coordinator** Ron Tamberlin Ladies Aux Coord Loretta DiBrino 22 A Day Chair **Terry Forward Awards Comm Lenny Scheiner** Steve Kazmierski **Hospitality Chair** District 1 Update Joe Ashman

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VAVS REPORTS

VAVS Coordinator Dave Feary

Albany Chris Van Deusen

Batavia Cory Feary
Bath Les Baker, Sr.
Bronx Dennis Lombardi

Brooklyn VACANT

Buffalo Carmela Rigoli
Canandaigua Gary Boisseau
Castle Point Joe Greco
Manhattan VACANT
Montrose Sam Riti

Northport Frank Marcinek
St Albans Joe Rheams
Syracuse Jim Fitzgerald
Oxford Ed Ashman

ZONE DIRECTORS REPORTS

Zone 1 Kevin Matteson
Zone 2 John Turner
Zone 3 Jim Gardner
Zone 4 Howard Gushue

Zone 5 Sam Riti
Zone 6 Bob Oakes
Zone 7 Ed Ashman

UNFINISHED BUSINESS NEW BUSINESS

GOOD AND WELFARE

BENEDICTION

RETIREMENT OF COLORS

ADJOURNMENT