Oceana County Department of Veterans Affairs (OCDVA) Relief and Business Meetings Meeting Minutes January 4, 2024

Business Meeting

The Oceana County Department of Veterans Affairs Business Meeting was called to order at 1:30 P.M. in the Oceana County Annex Room meeting room by Chairperson Tracy Blamer.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: Tracy Blamer, Paul Dees Jr., Bob Cramblit, Ed Dodds, Kim Tate

Members Absent: None

Guest Present: None

Public Comments: None

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve agenda by ED

Motion 2nd by BC

Voice vote, 5 Yes 0 No

Motion approved

Motion to approve last meeting minutes TB

Motion 2nd by BC

Voice Vote 5 Yes, 0 No

Motion approved

VSO (Veterans Support Officer) Report

Mears Service Center has the van in good working order.

Grant FY 24 Quarter 1 will be due on January 10.

MVTF claims will not be competed online.

50 Christmas boxes were delivered to veterans.

The food pantry recently received a very nice donation. It is currently well stocked to provide food to the country veterans.

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Strategic Planning

No meeting planned for January.

County Commissioners Veterans Liaison

Tim informed the committee that finding a new location for the VA committee is still underway. There are no properties found as of this time.

Old Business

TB provided the committee with an end of the year report.

New Business

GM has resigned from the committee due to work schedule complications.

PD informed the chairperson that this be his last year on the committee.

RELIEF MEETING

01-24 Veteran is seeking assistance with a propane bill. The amount is \$895.60.

ED makes a motion to pay the bill in total.

Motion 2nd by TB

Voice Vote 5 Yes, 0 No

Motion approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 2:06 by TB.

The next general meeting will be held on February 1 2024, in the County Annex Conference Room.

1:30 AM Veterans Affairs Business Meeting

2:30 PM Veterans Affairs Relief Meeting

Tracy Blamer Chairwoman

Paul Dees Jr Secretary