

Kossuth County Commission of Veterans Affairs

Daniel D. Green, Director

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Commissioner: James Grandgenett, 1st Chairman Commissioner: Kim Groesbeck, Vice Chairwoman Commissioner: Carole Bernhard, Secretary

Subject: Agenda, Kossuth County Commission of Veterans Affairs Monthly Meeting FEB 10th, at 4:45 p.m.

Location: Conference Room #110, Court House Annex, 109 West State Street, Algona, IA 50511

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance and moment of silence for POW/MIA.
- 3. Roll Call. Present: ____
 - Absent:
- 4. Guests: _____
- 5. Review and Approval of previous monthly meeting minutes.
- 6. Old Business: METRICS
 - a. Number of Open Claims in System: _49____ Pending Claims __3__ Awaiting Submission __0___.
 Number of Veteran Records: ___1018____.
 Number IA VET Trust Fund Applications previous month: __0__.
 Number IA VET Trust Fund Applications current month: __0___.
 Number IA VET Trust fund approved YTD: __0___.
 Number IA VET Trust fund disapproved YTD: __0___.
 Number of VA Caregiver applications submitted previous month: __0____.
 Number of VA Caregiver applications submitted current month: __0____.
 Number of VA Caregiver applications approved YTD: __0____.
 Home Improvement Structured Alterations (HISA) Grant YTD: __0____.
 - b. ACTIVITIES: Update Review Directors Activities for JAN (Handout).
 - c. **BUDGET:** Review Budget 2022-2023. Prep for Quarterly report in MARCH.
 - d. SOP Review: Department guideline and policy review/update
 - e. VETRASPEC Reports: Monthly Retroactive Awards, Monthly Total Awards,
 - f. **TRAINING**: 01-02FEB22 Dan VBMS Training at Camp Dodge, Training mentoring 17FEB2022 Winnebago, Training mentoring 25FEB2022 Emmet Co.
 - g. OUTREACH: IACCVSO E Board mtg 18JAN22, Vets Day at the Capitol 18JAN22
 - h. **INFORMATION**: Handouts to Commissioners: Auditor Handout Motel and Food Bills, ICVA 2022 Legislative Priorities, VA Pharmacy requests, Iowa Legislative Bills & Rules Updates

7. New Business:

- a. Communication from the Commission.
 - Prep for Dan new evaluation period.
 - Discussion/plan presenting request for 5-member commission and being placed onto BOS agenda as an agenda item.
 - Request for part time assistance to department (tabled)
 - Memorandum of salaries to auditor. Dan will do.
- b. Commission remarks
- 8. **Motion to Adjourn**. Motion by ______ and seconded by ______ to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at ______ p.m.