



**Kossuth County Commission of Veterans Affairs**

**Daniel D. Green, Director**

**109 West State Street. Algona. Iowa 50511**

**President: James**

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**1<sup>st</sup> Chairwoman: Kim Groesbeck**

**Vice Chairwoman: Carole Bernhard**

Subject: Minutes, Kossuth County Commission of Veterans Affairs Monthly Meeting May 14, 2020 at 4:45p.m.

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

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call.
3. Guests:    NONE
4. Review and Approval of previous monthly meeting minutes.
5. Old Business:
  - a. Number of Open Claims in System: 33. There are 5 claims pending development and 0 awaiting final submission.
  - b. Update Directors Activities for APR2020. Dan provided the spreadsheet for daily activities to the Commissioners. Dan also did a PSA with KLGA Algona Radio on recent scams in the area targeting veterans on Medicare/Medicaid, Social Security, Disability and Compensation.
  - c. The Commissioners and Dan reviewed the plan for the 10K Grant monies. Dan also provided an update from District 5 teleconference from April 28, 2020.
  - d. The Mobile Medical Unit is still scheduled for June, but because of the pandemic, this may not happen.
  - e. Outreach Activity: Plans to meet with Quality Assurance Representative Barb at KRHC Billing to explain VA Systems and process's regarding Care in the Community and how it works is to be determined. Additionally, visits with Community Health Nurses at KRHC is also to be determined.
  - f. Follow-up discussion on Jacket/Vest for everyone: monies placed into budget and Carole brought a catalog for Commissioners to review from JMV Graphix.
  - g. The Commissioners let Dan know that he would not be required to provide us with the Safety Committee Minutes, we understand that he is involved on this committee.

6. New Business:

- a. The Fall IACCVSO Conference is still on at this time. Carole is planning on attending this.
  - b. Dan updated the Commissioners on memorial activities for Whitemore Legion, other activities for surrounding area are run by other Legions and the VFW.
  - c. The National Conference was officially cancelled and NAVSCO is encouraging on-line computer-based training for education and CEUs. Dan is researching this.
  - d. Dan provided the Commissioners with an update to Memorial Day Ads for the Kossuth County Advance.
  - e. Dan updated the Commissioners on his consulting assistance for the Emergency Operations Support Center and Dave Penton.
  - f. Dan provided input for a 6-month performance update/feedback. The Commissioners discussed conducting written feedback. Dan agreed this would be beneficial.
  - g. Communication from the Commission: The Commissioners requested a copy of the billing slides, for the outreach briefing for review.
  - h. Commission remarks: none.
7. Motion to Adjourn. Motion by Kim and seconded by Jim to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 18:02p.m.

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