

# Winnebago County Veterans Service Commission

## Meeting Minutes

**Date:** June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**Present:** Jeff Bucholtz, Tim Paterson, Roy Rogers, Jerry Schultz, Tom Snider, Lydia Wilz & Peggy Schumacher

**Others Present:** Jonathan Plato

Tom Snider called the meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Tom Snider requested a motion for the acceptance of the meeting agenda. Roy Rogers so moved, second by Peggy Schumacher. All ayes, motion carried.

Tom Snider called for Public Comments. There were no public comments.

There are no applications for Veterans Emergency Assistance, therefore, it is not necessary to go into closed session.

Tom Snider called for approval of meeting minutes dated May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Jerry Schultz so moved, second by Tim Patterson. All ayes, motion carried.

Tom Snider called for approval of the financial report dated May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023. Tim Paterson so moved, second by Peggy Schumacher. All ayes, motion carried.

### **Old Business:**

Jeff gave the following office updates:

- Lydia, Jon, and Kevin completed National Training in Madison this month to keep up with their accreditations. Jeff and Susan will be going to the CVSO Conference in the fall to maintain theirs.
- EAA and Winnebago County Fair are coming up, so our office will be focused on doing outreach at those events.
- Winnebago CVSO had a meeting with WDVA to discuss Transitional Living here in Winnebago County. Future discussions are in the works.
- It's been heard that a City Center will be re-opening in Omro. Tom Snider volunteered to look into this as Winnebago CVSO would like to continue with our Outreach in rural areas.
- Winnebago CVSO has had an uptick in Board of Veteran Appeal Hearing within our Office. The VA has been relying on our office in hosting virtual meetings with VA Law Judges so that our veterans do not have to drive to Milwaukee for their hearings.

### **New Business:**

- Tom Snider explained that there is still no movement with Commitment to Veteran Support and Outreach Act.

The next meeting date is July 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023, 1:00 p.m. at **the Humans Services Building, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor West Conference Room, 220 Washington Ave. Oshkosh, WI.** At 1:40 p.m. Roy Rogers moved to adjourn, seconded by Peggy Schumacher. All ayes, motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lydia Wilz

Deputy Director