#### WINNEBAGO COUNTY COUNCIL OF VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS

**DATE:** October 10th, 2024 @ 9:30 AM

**LOCATION:** James P Coughlin Center, Oshkosh, WI 54901

**PRESENT:** Jon Doemel Lydia Wilz Jon Plato

Ron Griffin David Stienert Jim Meinke Tom Snider Richard Daseke Duane Canon Bill Christianson Joe Miller Roy Rogers Diane Stienert Randy Miller Patti Julius Jerry Schultz Francis Mathe Teresa Cook Zachary Zuehlsdorf Shane Magelitz Kevin Jurgella

#### 1. Call To Order:

Lydia Wilz called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM.

### 2. Pledge of Allegiance:

Jon Plato led the pledge of allegiance and a moment of silence for the fallen.

## 3. Roll Call/Introductions:

Introductions were made, many new faces in the meeting so we took the time to introduce ourselves to each other.

Guest Speaker: Nicole Koehler from Bridlewood Insurance Services to discuss Medicare and how this intertwines with VA Health Care, Tri-Care, and CHAMPVA.

If you have questions on your plan or would like to see if there is a better plan for you, contact her at 920-533-0204

# 4. New Business and VA Updates:

Lydia detailed the following handouts:

- Salvation Army Oshkosh Holiday Sign Up Coats for Kids and Toys for Tots
- Salvation Army Fox Cities Christmas Assistance Registration
- Leaf No One Behind (Yard Waste Cleanup) Oshkosh Healthy Aging Group (November 3<sup>rd</sup>)
- UW Extension Money Matters Online program designed to improve financial habits

- Old Glory Honor Flight Mission 72, October 23,2024
- Fox Valley Men's Grief Support Meeting First Wednesday of each month at Moments Hospice Office Appleton, WI
- Veterans Voice Winnebago County Department of Veterans Services Newsletter October 2024

## 5. Local Community Updates:

• October 9<sup>th</sup>, the Vietnam Traveling Wall is currently at the Expo Center. It will be available for visiting the 10<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>.

# 6. Upcoming Events:

- American Legion Post 234 Omro is having Monday Night BINGO on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month. There is FREE Parking!!
- VVA Chapter 437 10-12th October Drive

# Please see our Winnebago County Veterans Service Office Website for more upcoming events

# 7. Next Meeting Time, Date and Place:

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held November 14th, 2024 @ 9:30 AM, at James P. Coughlin Building.

Any new information the office has received will be distributed and discussed. Participation in this meeting is encouraged.

Lydia Wilz adjourned the meeting at 10:35 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Zachary Zuehlsdorf