



Antrim County

Veterans Affairs Committee

Alissa Winters –Chairperson

Joseph Renis-Vice Chairperson

Meeting Agenda – 9 March 2022

1. Meeting was called to order at:

2. Review minutes from 9 February 2022 meeting

3. County Burial applications:

VETRASPEC ID: 48411

VETRASPEC ID: 173951

4. Invoices for Veteran Marker settings

Name N/A

5. New business:

- a. Veterans day Blood drive: We are coordinating with Versiti (blood bus) for a blood drive here at the county building on Veterans day. We are planning on having the event catered and displaying our van, trailer and tent. We will have our office open for those who want information over benefits, healthcare, pension or any other services we can connect them with.
- b. Memorial Day Lunch: ACVA is looking to engage with American Legion and veterans in the Ellsworth area in the community. We are



planning to provide lunch to veterans that come meet with our office personal and the American Legion.

- c. ACVA is applying to have a table in the upcoming Petoskey Stone Festival.
- d. MACVC Spring Conference April 19th – 22nd in Kalamazoo, MI. The office will be closed during this time. Hope to have the new VSO in place and attending with us.

e. We currently have 5 applications for the VSO I position.

f. Accounting

i. Current balances/Budget

g. Office sign in sheet for January: we engaged 50 total veterans during January.

6. Old business

- a. We conducted our first coffee talks in ER at The Dam Shop. We had a solid turn out of veterans. We also were linked up with a widow that could use our help applying for possible benefits.
- b. Web Service Room has a computer and printer in it, we have a webcam on order. IT is working on internet access and domain.



CLOSED SESSION MEETING FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

7. County Financial applications:

- a. VSpec #

8. MVTF Applications:

- a. VSpec #

9. Closing

- a. Prayer
- b. Adjourned

