



Antrim County

Veterans Affairs Committee

Alissa Winters –Chairperson

Joseph Renis-Vice Chairperson

Meeting Agenda – 9 November 2022

1. Meeting was called to order at:

2. Review minutes from 12 October 2022 meeting

3. County Burial applications:

VETRASPEC ID:

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4. Invoices for Veteran Marker settings

Name: Mortensens Funeral Home (22 Markers total) Packets
have been verified w/ Death Certificate & DD-214.

5. New business:

- a. We have hired Matthew Weller as our new full time VSO. He has the Basic Benefit course starting 11/14/22.
- b. Both Matt & Libby have additional education through Combat Craig
- c. Social Media engagement is significantly higher than before. (Matt will Brief committee)



- d. Michigan Veteran Employment Services Video blessed off and added to both FB and YouTube channel.
- e. ACVA Met Heroes Hope Foundation. They have cabins for those in need of services available for free. They do a ministry type counseling for veterans and can run it as a retreat completely free.
- f. Operation Green Light – The County has approved taking part in this initiative and will be shining a green light honoring veterans Nov. 7th – Nov 13th. Hopefully we can continue to grow this each year throughout the county.
- g. MVAA has accepted our FY 23 grant application and sent back to the county for signatures. BOC Action Request has been completed and is on the schedule for signature on 10/20/22
- h. Accounting
 - i. Current balances/Budget
- i. During October we had 82 veterans that we had engagement with.
- j. Coalition meeting notes (Alissa Winters)



Old business

- k. Versiti November 11th Veterans Day Blood drive signup link has been made and posted.

https://donate.michigan.versiti.org/donor/schedules/drive_schedule/147998

Sign up!! If you can take few flyers and hang up in the community, please do.

