

Veterans' Program

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King County Veterans Program Advisory Board
Meeting Summary
December 21, 2016
7:30 pm – 8:30 pm
WorkSource Renton

Call to Order

King County Advisory Board Chairman Stan Gunno called the meeting to order at 7:38 pm. Salute the Flag.

Roll Call Board Members Present: Chuck Murrell, Chuck Vitiritti, Stan Gunno, Carrol Stripling, Dion McNeeley, Gary Cashman, , Curtis Thompson, David Waggoner, Erik Campbell, Julia Sheriden, Monique Brown

Board Members Excused/Absent:

Todd Mitchell, John Phillips, Clark Silliman

County Staff Present:

Pat Lemus DCHS -KCVP Rich Garmong DCHS- KCVP Rita Sanchez DCHS – KCVP

Guest Present:

Sam Powers - Veteran

Review of Meeting Summary

ACTION: Minutes for November 2016 were approved

Committee Reports (Brief overview of the Advisory Board Committees)

<u>Executive Committee</u>: No Meeting. Stan Gunno sent a letter to Robert Todd Mitchell requesting his resignation.

Budget & Finance: No Meeting
Appeals Committee: No Meeting
Veterans Consortium: No Meeting
Programs Committee: No Meeting

- 1. Housing/Homelessness Committee: No Meeting
- 2. <u>Employment Committee:</u> Met on December 21, 2016. Gary Cashman gave a brief overview on training and employment for veterans.
- 3. Levy Renewal Committee: No Meeting.
 - Older Adults/End of life services
 - Veteran Services
 - Affordable Housing/Homelessness
 - Transportation/Lack of mobility
 - Rural counties and their needs

Program Overview & Monthly Update

Rich Garmong gave a birth overview on the Home Depot Grants Program. Help disable veterans to the Rich Garmong gave a brief update on the financial report.



Old Business

- Training and Guest Speakers WDVA Overview/Summary of Programs/Upcoming Legislation
- Committees Roles and Responsibilities
- Joint Meeting with the Advisory Board and Veteran Oversight Board to discuss housing and other projects
- Committee's report on updating By-laws. Best Practices for Legal or Quasi0legal *Documents*.

Chuck Vitiritti made motion on the floor:

The Special Interim – Committee to review the By- laws and using the Best Practices 11 items/steps as guidelines. Committee will bring back suggestions and recommendations to the Advisory Board.

Carroll Stripling would like to table the motion until the next meeting January 18, 2017 . This will allow the board more time to look over the by-laws and guidelines.

Motion was tabled

New Business

- Advisory Board web presence
- Bryan Fry will be the new contact for the KCVP Advisory Board
- Update on Levy Renewal next meeting

Next Meeting

Wednesday, January 18, 2016

Good of the order

- Grand Opening William J. Wood Veterans Homes/Veterans are already moving in
- New data and research on Agent Orange
- Puget Honor Flight April and May 2017

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm

