



## King County

### Veterans' Program

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## King County Veterans Program Advisory Board Meeting Summary May 17, 2017 7:30 pm – 9:00 pm WorkSource Renton

### Call to Order

King County Advisory Board Chairman Stan Gunno called the meeting to order at 7:40pm. Salute the Flag.

**Roll Call Board Members Present:** Stan Gunno, Chuck Murrell, Chuck Vitiritti, Gary Cashman, John Phillips, Jeffery Loa, Sam Powers, Kyle Schnell, Ken Yakle, Nathan Mikesell, Hank Haynes, Carrol Stripling

### Board Members Excused/Absent:

Tim Bomke, Julia Sheriden, Monique Brown, Amy Viklund, Dion McNeeley

### County Staff Present:

Bryan Fry DCHS- KCVP  
Rita Sanchez DCHS – KCVP

**Guest Present:** None

### Review of Meeting Summary

ACTION: Minutes for March 15, 2017 were approved  
ACTION: Summary for Annual Retreat, April 19, 2017 were approved

### Committee Reports (Brief overview of the Advisory Board Committees)

Executive Committee: No Meeting

Budget & Finance Committee: No Meeting

Appeals Committee: No Meeting

Programs Committee: Gary Cashman gave a brief overview of the Program Committee meeting held May 17, 2017. The Program Committee discussed some ideas for moving forward this year. Programs Committee suggested the Advisory Board have a walkthrough of the KC Veterans Program. To see the process, flow of the office and how the program works. This would help understanding the program and what other services might be needed.

Veterans Consortium continues to work with community partners they are planning a conference sometime in September. The consortium also participated in the public hearing to support the renewal of the Veterans & Human Services LEVY

LEVY: Gary Cashman gave a brief overview of the public hearing on the Veterans & Humans Oversight LEVY renewal.

Monthly Reports: Bryan Fry gave a brief overview on the Financial Charts and Veterans Program:



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- Dylan Frazier will be retiring at the end of May 2017, this will leave a job opening in the Seattle office.
- We have extended our contract with William Booth through 2017.
- May 22, 2017 there will be an announcement on the Levy Renewal held in the Seattle office.

There will be some changes of how the Financial Charts will look. Seattle office continues to see the majority of Homeless Veterans at 45% and the Renton office is seeing about 25%. No changes in demographics, the program is seeing more Gulf era veterans. More spending to help with move-in-cost and rent continues to rise, 64% of spending goes toward housing and utilities.

### Old Business

- Training/ WDVA/Ethics
- By-laws /updating signature page
- Advisory Board Bio's for new members
- No Decision on Members interested in participating on the LEVY Oversight Board
- Advisory Board Website
- Grievance or Appeal – Appeals Committee

### Future Business

Training/OPMA July meeting

Speaker from William J Wood Veterans House, July meeting

### Next Meeting

Wednesday, June 21, 2017

### Good of the order

Free Veterans I Fly Center – May 25<sup>th</sup> 2017 from noon – 2:00

Adam Smith - Renton Compass May 31, 2017 10:00

May 23 & 24 - Tues and Wednesday Job Fair 9-4 Doubletree in Tukwila

Chuck Murrell will be interviewed by Joey Galloway

### Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 pm