



County of El Dorado

Board of Supervisors
Chambers
330 Fair Lane
Placerville, CA 95667

Minutes - Draft

Veteran Affairs Commission

Todd Smith, District I – Alternate John Poimiroo
Chris Cockrell, District II – Alternate Roger Reynolds
Kurt Raffetto, District III – Alternate Stephanie Carlson
Ken Welch, District IV – Alternate Tim Thompson
Jody Pratt, District V – Alternate Phillip Houseworth
Terry Thomas, VSO, Secretary Ex-Officio
Lauren Odell, Recording Clerk of Veteran Affairs Commission

Thursday, June 9, 2022

12:00 PM

<https://edcgov-us.zoom.us/j/91249101434>

Board of Supervisors Meeting Room

330 Fair Lane Building A

Placerville, CA

OR

Live Streamed - <https://edcgov-us.zoom.us/j/91249101434>

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION INSTRUCTIONS

The Commission meeting room will be open to the public. The meeting will continue to be live-streamed via Zoom.

Members of the public may address the Commission in-person or via Zoom to make a public comment. The public should call into 530-621-7603 or 530-621-7610. The Meeting ID is 912 4910 1434. Please note you will not be able to join the live-stream until the posted meeting start time.

To observe the live stream of the Commission meeting go to <https://edcgov-us.zoom.us/j/91249101434> .

If you are joining the meeting via zoom and wish to make a comment on an item, press the "raise a hand" button. If you are joining the meeting by phone, press *9 to indicate a desire to make a comment. Speakers will be limited to 3 minutes.

By participating in this meeting, you acknowledge that you are being recorded.

PROTOCOLS FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

Public comment will be received at designated periods as called by the Commission Chair.

Individuals will have three minutes to address the Commission. Except with the consent of the Commission, individuals shall be allowed to speak to an item only once.

Individual Commission members may ask clarifying questions but will not engage in substantive dialogue with persons providing input to the Commission.

If a person providing input to the Commission creates a disruption by refusing to follow Commission guidelines, the Commission Chair may take the following actions:

Step 1. Request the person adhere to Commission guidelines. If the person refuses, the Commission Chair may turn off the speaker's microphone.

Step 2. If the disruption continues, the Commission Chair may order a recess of the Commission meeting.

Step 3. If the disruption continues, the Commission Chair may order the removal of the person from the Commission meeting.

CALLED TO ORDER 12:00pm - PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

ROLL CALL

Commissioner Carlson arrived after the roll was taken at 12:38pm

Present: 8 - Chair Poimiroo, Member Cockrell, Vice Chair Houseworth, Alternate Reynolds, Member Smith, Member Welch, Alternate Carlson and Member Pratt

Absent: 2 - Member Raffetto and Alternate Thompson

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS AND WELCOME

ADOPTION OF AGENDA AND APPROVAL OF CONSENT CALENDAR

A motion to Adopt the Agenda and Approve the Consent Calendar was made by Commissioner Welch; seconded by Commissioner Cockrell. Motion passes 4-0.

Yes: 4 - Member Cockrell, Vice Chair Houseworth, Member Smith and Member Welch

Absent: 2 - Member Raffetto and Alternate Thompson

All items on the Consent Calendar are to be approved by one motion unless a Commission member requests separate action on a specific item including moving items to or from the Consent Calendar and adopt the Agenda and the Consent Calendar for discussion. At the appropriate time as called by the Chair, members of the public may make a comment on matters on the Consent Calendar prior to Commission action.

CONSENT CALENDAR

- 22-1041** The Clerk of the Board's office upon receipt of the El Dorado County Public Health Officer's recommendation, resulting from ongoing concerns related to COVID-19, approves the following finding pursuant to Government Code subsection 54953 (e)(3) in order to allow for the continued use of virtual or hybrid Veterans Affairs Commission meetings as authorized under Assembly Bill 361: Pursuant to Government Code subsections 54943 (e)(3)(A) and (e)(B)(ii), the Veterans Affairs Commission has reconsidered the circumstances of the Governor's proclaimed state of emergency resulting from COVID-19 and finds that the El Dorado County Public Health Officer continues to recommend measures to promote social distancing, as documented in the September 20, 2021 'Public Health Officer's Recommendations for Safe Board and Commission Meetings During COVID-19 Pandemic..

Attachments: [Public Health Officers Recommendation](#)

- 22-1042** Approval of the minutes from the regular meeting held on May 12, 2022

Attachments: [Veterans Affairs Commission Meeting Minutes 5-12-2022 - Draft](#)

- 22-1043** Authorization of expenditure for Veteran Affairs Commission Letterhead

Attachments: [VOB Letterhead Receipt PAID \(1\)](#)

END OF CONSENT CALENDAR

EX-OFFICIO REPORT - RECEIVED AND FILED (TODD)

Public Comment: D. Zelinsky

- 22-1118** Ex-Officio Report

Attachments: [Veterans Services Ex-officio report June 2022](#)

COMMITTEE REPORTS - RECEIVED AND FILED

Public Comment: R. Michaelson; D. Zelinsky; F. Mason

- TOT (Transient Occupancy Tax) (Raffetto/Houseworth)
- RULES (Poimiroo/Houseworth)
 - SPECIAL COMMITTEE – HOUSING (Welch)
- LEGISLATIVE (Smith/Raffetto)
- TRANSPORTATION (Thompson)
- BUDGET (Houseworth/Reynolds)
- EDUCATION & EMPLOYMENT (Cockrell)
- OUTREACH (Reynolds/Carlson)

COMMUNICATIONS' REPORTS - RECEIVED AND FILED

Public Comment: D. Zelinsky

- VETERANS MEMORIAL BUILDING – VETERANS HOUSE COUNCIL (Reynolds)
- AMERICAN LEGION SERVICE OFFICER (Zelinsky)
- EDC VETERANS ALLIANCE (Poimiroo)
- VA VET CENTER/MILITARY FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP/EL DORADO VETERAN RESOURCES (Whalen)
- REGIONAL VETERAN EVENTS

22-1125 Veterans Memorial Building House Council Meeting Minutes

Attachments: Minutes of the June 2nd, 2022 EDC VMB Council meeting

22-1120 American Legion Service Officer Report

Attachments: [American Legion Service Officer Report June 2022](#)

GOOD OF THE ORDER (COMMISSIONER ANNOUNCEMENTS)

22-1124 Honor Guard Services contact information

Attachments: [Honor Guard Service Contact informatin](#)

OPEN FORUM

Open Forum is an opportunity for members of the public to address the Veteran Affairs Commission on subject matter that is not on their meeting agenda and within their jurisdiction. Public comments during Open Forum are limited to three minutes per person. The Commission Chair may limit public comment during Open Forum.

R. Michaelson; J. Connolly; B. Bradshaw

22-1121 Public Comment Handout - J. Connolly

Attachments: [Willden Plea Document 4.25.2022](#)
[Public Comment Handouts](#)

NEXT MEETING LOCATION, DATE & TIME

Thursday, July 14, 2022 Placerville, CA

ADJOURNMENT at 1:22pm