

**GREEN LAKE COUNTY
VETERANS SERVICE COMMISSION
April 8, 2025**

The following are the open minutes of the Quarterly Meeting of the Green Lake County Veterans Service Commission held in the Veterans Service Office at the Government Center, Green Lake, WI, at 10:30 A.M. on April 8, 2025

Members present: Victor Shrock, Robert Burdick, Raymond Hudzinski and Jon Vandeyacht, Secretary.

Certification of Open Meeting Law: The requirements of the Open Meeting Law have been met.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 10:30 A.M. by Chairman Shrock.

Pledge of Allegiance: The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was recited.

Approval of Agenda: After discussion, Hudzinski made a motion to approve the agenda. Second by Burdick. All ayes. Motion carried.

Action on Minutes: After discussion, Hudzinski made a motion to approve the minutes of the January 14, 2025 meeting. Second by Burdick. All ayes. Motion carried.

Appearances & Correspondence: Keith Hess

Old Business: Vandeyacht reported that there were now two volunteer drivers active and one in reserve. He will report next quarterly meeting as to how well the new driver is working out.

Vandeyacht reported that student government day is next week. A speaker was arranged and everything is in place.

Vandeyacht reported the 2025 CVSO Spring Conference is next month, May 2025 and will take place in Superior Wi. Both Robin and himself will be in attendance and the office will be closed.

Vandeyacht reported the 2025 Outreach plan will kick off after he returns from his vacation in June. He hopes to have flyers in local businesses trying to bring awareness to the CVSO office for those Veterans who are unaware of the resource available to them.

New Business: Vandeyacht reported that the 2025 County fair is currently in its planning phase. The CVSO office was informed that they will not be sharing a booth this year. It was requested to have the booth next to the Legion's booth in order to keep Veterans resources all in one spot. The fair director said she would try to make it happen if possible.

Vandeyacht reported that it was time again to review the copays for the transportation program. He left the decision to review the rates or hold off and keep them as they currently are due to the current economic unknowns and price increases due to the instability of the markets as a result of current administrations actions. The service commissioners voted to review them next year as many Veterans who use the program are in a tight spot financially as it is.

Service Office Report: Vandeyacht reported that 2025's contacts were down a little compared to years past. The pact act created a rush of work over the last few years but things are finally returning to normal with the exception of calls about concerns of Veterans benefits due to the reporting of bills in process in Congress. The standard response has been that the Veteran should take up their concern with their congressional reps as they are the ones voting on the bills. As for the status of things currently, the law hasn't changed yet, so there is nothing to comment on.

Vandeyacht reported he will be out of the office during the first week of May for the spring conference and again during the last week of May for Vacation.

Financial Report: After discussion, Hudzinski made a motion to approve the Financial Report as submitted. Second by Burkick All ayes. Motion carried.

Future Meeting Date: The date for the next meeting will be Tuesday, Jul 8, 2025 at 10:30

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 11:10 A.M. on a motion by Hudzinski. Second by Burkick. All ayes. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted:

Jon D. Vandeyacht
Secretary, Veterans Service Commission