East Windsor Veterans Commission Meeting Minutes November 2, 2017 7 pm

- 1) Call to order: 7:03 pm by Rick Webster
- 2) Pledge led by Rick Webster
- 3) Added Agenda: Jackets- They all came in and one issue was resolved. We all have jackets for the Veterans Day Road Race.

Motion to go out of order Scott Morgan, Ed Filipone second to discuss road race and spaghetti dinner. Deb Nordell sent in the information to the JI. She entered the information into the calendar.

Motion to go back in order Scott Morgan, Ed Filipone second. All in favor

4) Attendance:

D. James Barton, Chairman	Absent	Bruce Putinas	Present
Edward Filipone, Treasurer	Present	Mary Morgan, Alternate	Present
Scott Morgan	Present		
Gilbert Hayes, secretary	Absent	Honorary Members	
Rick Webster, Vice	Present	Kenneth Crouch	Present
Chairman			
Robert Lyke Jr.	Present	Mark Simmons	Absent
Victor DeCapua	Present	Ernie Teixeira	Present
Robert V. Dynak	Absent	Warren Wenz	Present

5) Secretary Report:

Motion to accept the secretary report as presented Scott Morgan, Edward Filipone second. All in favor

6) Treasurer Report: Discussion of report, motion to approve the treasurer report as presented Scott Morgan, Bob Lyke second. All in favor

- 7) New Business: Wreaths across America Dec 16, 2017 12 noon, at the Windsorville Church.
- 8) Old Business
 - a) Road Race:

Timer- All set Speaker Lieutenant Colonel Christopher Olson Singer-? Portable Toilet- \$50.00 per unit from Pippen (6 cans) Power Cord- All set Paint the Road-Ken Mile markers, Food, Pistol, Rand will do the start of the race Boy Scouts water, Girl Scouts all set Pasta dinner-all set Door Prizes-20 Prize Money- check to written Invocation- all set T shirts- all set Paper goods- Warren Food- All set Sounds System- Ed **Program-Ed** Schedule: Set up 3:30 at town hall 113 Runners so far High School Made 25 flyers

b) War Memorial: All the monuments are in place, Ct Valley was paid a deposit. Motion to pay the final bill to CT Valley for the monuments up to \$18000.00 Scott Morgan, Bruce Putinas second. All in favor Pavers- Motion to make the direction of the pavers on the front walkway from the road to the new monuments the same direction of the main section (horizontal) Bruce Putinas, Scott Morgan second. All in favor Fraud Calls were made to some of the sponsors of the road race. A Facebook message was put out and the phone number was given to the police department. The police found out the caller and informed them to stop the calling the EW residents.

Benches- Mason Lodge will sponsor a bench, Park and Rec will sponsor a bench, American Legion will sponsor a bench. The current benches belong to the EW lions club. Have a mini dedication at the monuments for just the Veterans and American Legion. It would be a thank you for all our hard work and effort. The green should be finished the middle of November.

Dedication/Program- Meeting are draft ideas, Jim came up with the idea of raising the American Flag and State flag at the dedication. Veteran Commission and American Legion sitting in front of the monuments facing the crowd. Tents for some of the guests.

Fundraising- Review of Harvest Dance 165 tickets, Head count of 162, we counted 142. Rand promised the restaurant 150.00, the food was not what we ordered. Profit from dance \$2200.00

- 9) Correspondence: Larry from Southern Auto is pleased with the greens progress. Mary wanted to say that everyone handled the medical crisis at the Harvest dance swiftly and professionally.
- 10) Adjournment: 8:22 Scott Morgan, Vic DeCapua second. All in favor

Minutes submitted by Jill Caron