

East Windsor Veterans Commission
Special Meeting
For
April 6, 2016

Opening:

Meeting was called to order 7:00pm. At the East Windsor Town Hall 11 Rye Street, Broad Brook, in the town hall meeting room, by Chairman Jim Barton. Members that were present: Jim Barton, Rick Webster, Scott Morgan, Ed Filipone, Bob Lyke, Vic DeCapua, Paul Hunter and Bruce Putinas.

Alternate Member: Mary Morgan was present.

Honorary Member: mine present.

Board of Selectman Liaison: Steve Dearborn was present.

Chairman, Jim Barton, led the commission in reciting The Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Input: There was no public input.

Correspondence: Rick brought up that he is on veterans committee at United Technologies, he mentioned that there will a ceremony on the route 140 bridge between East Windsor and Windsor Locks presented by the Windsor Locks V.F.W., Rick stayed he'd have more information at the next meeting.

Jim brought to the commissions attention that fellow veterans commission Gil Hayes has had surgery and requested finical help from the commission to assist paying for a ramp and a shower at his house. Bob brought up that Gil has been a member of the commission for along time and Gil is a veteran and has done a lot for not only fellow veterans in East Windsor but also surrounding communities. Bob made a MOTION: to have a check written to Gil Hayes in the amount of \$1,000 seconded by Bruce, during the discussion Jim mentioned that the commission is here to help and support veterans, he also feels that if the motion were to pass it wouldn't set a presidents. MOTION PASSED, all were in favor.

Treasures Report: Ed submitted a report of the veterans road race and regular treasures report to the commission members present. Scott made a motion to accept treasures report as presented, seconded by Bob motion passed.

Scott made a MOTION to spend up to \$300 on 300 3x5 inch flags, seconded Bob, MOTION PASSED.

Scott made a MOTION: to Purchase 1 15x20 flag for no more then \$300, seconded by Bob, MOTION PASSED.

Secretary's Report: Scott presented the minutes from the March 3, 2016 meeting. Vic made a motion to accept the minutes from the March 3 meeting with corrections, seconded by Paul, MOTION PASSED.

War Memorial: is going in front of Planning and Zoning on Tuesday April 12, 2016 at 6:30pm. Jim asked for a 4x8 sign to show the progress of money raised in conversation with Rand Stanley, Rand referred someone and offered to pay for the sign. Jim presented a small model of what the memorial will look like. Jim asked the members of the commission to to come up with some fundraising ideas.

Fourth of July: Permits are being worked on for the fireworks.

Memorial Day: Jim mentioned that the envelopes That were sent out were empty. The commission has not yet heard back from the military for a speaker. Steve said that he would ask someone to bring their military vehicles to the parade.

Adjournment: Scott made a Motion to Adjourn seconded by Vic, Motion Passed

Chairman, Jim Barton closed the meeting at 8:15 pm

The next East Windsor Veterans Commission will be on Thursday May 5, 2016 at 7:00 P.M.
East Windsor Town Hall Meeting Room.

Submitted by'

Scott Morgan, Secretary of East Windsor Veterans Commission