

MINUTES

Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County

The October 2023 meeting of the Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County was called to order by Chairman Kelm on 20 November 2023 at 4:55 pm.

All Executive Committee members were present. County Board member Marion Thornberry attended.

All Boone County Post delegates were present.

Secretary's reading of the Minutes was approved as read.

Public Comment:

- None

Reports by the President:

- None

Committee Reports:

- None

Superintendent's Report:

- Submitted October VACBC Monthly "Operations Report"
- Submitted October VAC "Monthly Veterans Assistance Status Report"
- Reported that the 2024 VAC Budget was approved by County Board
- Discussed VAC holiday turkey distribution

On motion by Berni Bland and second by Brad Niles the Superintendent's Report was accepted

Old Business:

- None

New Business:

- Election of 2024 VAC officers: Because Bruce Anderson is retiring, on motion by Jess Strebin and second by Greg Kelm, Berni Bland was elected to the office of Sgt.at Arms for the 2024 term. On motion by Berni Bland and second by Jess Strebin, all other officers were re-elected for the 2024 term.
- Discussed the process of receiving donated cemetery plots.

General Discussion:

- None

The next meeting will be held 18 December 2023 at 5:00 pm at VFW Post 1461 at 1310 West Lincoln, Belvidere, IL

On motion by Berni Bland and second by Brad Niles the October 2023 meeting of the Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County was adjourned at 5:27 pm

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Jess Strebin', written over a horizontal line.

Jess Strebin
Secretary