

MINUTES

Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County

The October 2024 meeting of the Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County was called to order by Chairman Kelm on 21 October 2024 at 5:00 pm.

All Executive Committee members were present, Except for Brad Niles, who was excused. County Board member Marion Thornberry attended.

All Boone County Post delegates were present.

The secretary's reading of the Minutes was approved as read by Bernie Bland.

Public Comment:

- None

Reports by the President:

- None

Committee Reports:

- None

Superintendent's Report:

- Submitted October VACBC Monthly "Operation Report"
- Submitted October VACBC Monthly "Veterans Assistance Status & Financial Report"
- September Annual VSO certification completed for Elizabeth and new VSO certification for Tyler. Tyler awaiting VA approval.
- VACBC October increased services required for widows and repeat veterans coming back for assistance.

On motion by Bernie Bland and second Jess Strebin the Superintendent's Report was accepted

Unfinished Business:

- Audit date is still pending, waiting on County to schedule.

New Business:

- None

General Discussion:

- VFW Trick or Treat on State Street coming up.
- Veterans Standdown coming up, gift bags have been prepared for the event.

The next meeting will be held 18 October 2024 at 5:00 pm at VFW Post 1461 at 1310 West Lincoln, Belvidere, IL, 61008

On motion by Bernie Bland and second by Jess Strebin the October 2024 meeting of the Veterans Assistance Commission of Boone County was adjourned at 5:30 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Noah Carlsson

VAC VSO Assistant

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