



Otsego County Veteran's Affairs
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NOTICE OF SCHEDULED MEETING

The Otsego County Veteran's Affairs will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, March 18, 2010 beginning at 2:00 p.m., in room 212 of the County Building 225 West Main Street, Gaylord MI 49735.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Additions/Deletions to Agenda
3. Minutes – 1/21/2010
4. Homeless Providers Grant/Per Diem Program – Pam Cuthbert
5. Soldiers Relief Application
6. Reports
 - a. Activity Report
 - b. Financial Reports
 1. Veteran's Affairs
 2. Burial Report
 3. Soldiers Relief/Transportation
7. Additional/Other Business
8. Public Comments
9. Adjournment

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January 21, 2010

A meeting of the Otsego County Veterans Affairs was held in room 212 of the County Building. Counselor, Mike Hyde called the meeting to order at 2:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Members – William Ahrenberg, Clark Bates, Robert Harkness, Mike Hyde,
Don Peterson
ABSENT: None.
OTHERS: Marlene Hopp

Additions to agenda: New transportation for Veterans, Home Run Apartments, Housing for homeless Veteran's, "The Moving Wall".

MOTION: by Bates to accept minutes of December 17, 2009.

Ayes: Unanimous Nays: None Motion Carried

A Soldier relief application was reviewed.

MOTION: by Harkness to assist Veteran #01-2010 toward rent.

Ayes: None. Nays: Ahrenberg, Bates, Harkness, Hyde, Peterson. Motion Defeated.

Month end reports of Veterans Affairs, burial, Soldiers relief and transportation financial reports were reviewed.

Additional Business:

Beginning January 25, 2010 Aleda E. Lutz VA Medical Center in Saginaw will be implementing transportation for Veterans to their scheduled medical appointments in Saginaw, Ann Arbor, Battle Creek and Detroit, supported by the Disabled American Veterans and volunteer drivers.

The chronically homeless can now apply for the Home Run Apartments located at 700 W. Petoskey Street in Gaylord with assistance from Michigan State Housing Development Authorities Housing Choice Voucher program.

Director reported that Pam Cuthbert from Goodwill Northern Michigan will be writing a grant to build or renovate a building in Otsego County for homeless Veterans.

"The Moving Wall" was discussed.

Public comment: None.

The meeting adjourned at 2:37 p.m.

Marlene K. Hopp, Veterans Counselor.

Mike Hyde, Chairman
Otsego County Veterans Affairs