



**Otsego**  
**COUNTY**  
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**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, May 19, 2016 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. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Additions/Deletions to Agenda
4. Regular Minutes – March 17, 2016
5. Soldier and Sailor Application(s)
6. Reports
  - A. Counselor Updates
  - B. Activity Report
  - C. Financial - Reports
    1. Veteran's Affairs
    2. Burial Report
    3. Soldiers Relief/Transportation
7. Additional/Other Business
8. Public Comments
9. Adjournment

*In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons with physical limitations that may tend to restrict access to or participation in this meeting should contact the Veterans office (989-731-7575) at least twelve (12) hours prior to the scheduled start of the meeting.*

March 17, 2016

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

PRESENT:               Members – William Ahrenberg, Charles Berlin, Paul Cafuk, John Facchinetti, Julie Powers-Gehman  
EXCUSED:               All present  
OTHERS:                Marlene Hopp

Chairman, William Ahrenberg welcomed members.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by William Ahrenberg.

Additions to agenda: None

MOTION: by Paul Cafuk, approve the Veteran Affairs minutes of February 18, 2016, as presented.  
Ayes: Unanimous   Nays: None   Motion Carried

A soldier and sailor application was presented and reviewed.

MOTION: by Charles Berlin, approve soldier and sailor relief application #5-2016 Veteran of \$500 payable to Welcome Home Properties toward delinquent rent.  
Ayes: Unanimous   Nays: None   Motion Carried

Counselor Updates:

- Met with six Veterans and staff at Patriot Place for various VA related benefits on March 15.
- Reported and presented VA caregiver support information for Veterans to remain in home.

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

MOTION: by Julie Powers-Gehman, approve month end financial reports ending February 29, 2016, as presented.  
Ayes: Unanimous   Nays: None   Motion Carried

Additional Business: None

Public comment: None

Board remarks: None

The meeting adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

Minutes written by, Marlene K. Hopp, Veterans Counselor

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William Ahrenberg, Chairman  
Otsego County Veterans Affairs