

DOUGLAS COUNTY  
VETERANS ADVISORY BOARD  
MINUTES

March 1, 2019

Meeting was called to order at 10:30 am.

Advisory Board Members Present:

David Schwab (Chairman)

Charles Suriano

Larry Severin

Others in attendance:

Connie Hill, Sarah Simonson DCVSO, Curt Lance

Action Items:

1. Approve January 4, 2019 meeting minutes. There was not a February meeting due to the lack of a quorum: Motion made by Severin to accept the January 4, 2019 minutes, seconded by Suriano, voted, passed.
2. Douglas County Commissioners approved the DCVAB By-Law revisions.
3. VFW Post 3617 VSO working on cases and passed out a \$25 food card to a Veteran.
4. DCVSO Working on a case where the veteran needs dental help. Currently the amount is under the \$1500 threshold. Discussion ensued about the current limits and the DCVAB will send the commissioners a letter asking if they are interested in raising the limits for the DCVSO. Sarah will be available to help veterans in Waterville March 13<sup>th</sup>. Sarah will be in Olympia for training on the 14<sup>th</sup> thru the 16<sup>th</sup>
5. Vacant Advisory Board positions. Three applications were submitted. All three applicants were known by one or more of the DCVAB members. All three are members of a Nationally recognized Veterans Service Organization. The DCVAB agreed to recommend the applicants to the Douglas County Commissioners by the numbers of hours they are currently serving. Curtis Lance 60-70 hours per month. Albert D. Beattiger III 10 hours per month. Cary Burke 2 hours per month.
6. Meeting was adjourned at 10:52. Motion by Severin, seconded by Suriano, voted, passed.

Submitted by Chairman

David Schwab

Legend:

DCVAB: Douglas County Veterans Advisory Board.

DCVSO: Douglas County Veterans Service Officer

VSO: Veterans Service Officer