

S U M M A R Y A C T I O N M I N U T E S

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING OF THE ORANGE COUNTY VETERANS ADVISORY COUNCIL

Wednesday, July 17, 2019, 11:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.



County of Orange
County Operations Center
1300 S. Grand Avenue, Bldg. B
2nd Floor, Conference Room A/B/C
Santa Ana, Ca 92705

ROBERT McDONALD
CHAIRMAN
Third District

MARIO MUÑOZ
COUNCIL MEMBER
First District

DAVID HAN
COUNCIL MEMBER
Second District

VACANT
COUNCIL MEMBER
Fourth District

GREG RATHS
VICE CHAIRMAN
Fifth District

CARL DAVID
MEMBER AT LARGE
All Districts

ERIK DUANE
MEMBER AT LARGE
All Districts

RICHARD LUNDBERG
MEMBER AT LARGE
All Districts

DALE SOEFFNER
MEMBER AT LARGE
All Districts

ATTENDANCE: Chairman McDonald, Council Member Han, Council Member David, Vice Chairman Rath, Council Member Lundberg

ABSENT: Council Member Duane, Council Member Muñoz, Council Member Soeffner

PRESENT: Sonia Muñoz, County Support Staff

CALL TO ORDER: Chairman McDonald called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: OCVAC Vice Chair, Greg Rath

I. GUEST SPEAKER:

None

II. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

1. None

III. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT:

Chairman McDonald and Vice Chairman Rath provided an update on OCVAC activity.

IV. OCVMFC UPDATE:

Council Member David– Had nothing to report at this time.

V. OCVSO UPDATE:

Eric Ensley, OC Supervising Veterans Claims Representative– Tabled

VI. CALVET LINC UPDATE:

Ben Gales, CalVet Linc – Provided an update on the OC Collaborative and referenced CalVet upcoming events.

VII. OC4VETS UPDATE:

Kevin Alexander, HCA Service Chief – Provided OC4Vets updates and monthly statistics.

VIII. COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE REPORT:

Council Member David – Provided update and information on the current status of the OCVAC Communications Committee.

IX. EVENTS COMMITTEE REPORT:

Council Member Han – Provided information on the list of events and will post on OCVAC webpage.

X. COUNCIL COMMENTS:

Council Member Han- Requested information from Chairman McDonald on DVB's in Orange County.

Vice Chair Raths – Commented on the Veteran's Resource Book and questioned the vacancy for District 4.

Council Member Lundberg- Provided information on the Horizon Pregnancy Clinic.

Chair McDonald – Provided information on the upcoming Veterans Town Hall on August 27, 2019 from 6pm-8pm at the VA Long Beach Medical Center.

XI. ADJOURNED: 11:50 a.m.

Next Meeting:

August 21, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

County of Orange

County Operations Center

1300 S. Grand Avenue, Bldg. B

2nd Floor, Conference Room A/B/C

Santa Ana, CA 92705