



HARFORD COUNTY COMMISSION ON VETERANS AFFAIRS

May 2, 2019, 6:30 PM
County Office Building, 220 South Main Street, Bel Air, MD
Conference room located on ground floor.
Enter from Main Street

CALL TO ORDER – Bob Brown

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE – All in attendance

PRAYER – Deacon Vic Petrosino

WELCOME, OPENING COMMENTS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Opening comments

Acknowledgement of Guests

Mission: To advocate for our veterans and their families and connect them to resources through outreach and education.

Vision: A Harford County community that is responsive to the needs of Veterans and their families.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

OPENING COMMENTS OF MEMBERS

Councilman Andre Johnson

Hayden Anthony (Vice Chair) – Education & Community Outreach

Robert Appleby

Jennifer Button

Arthur Kaff – Technology, Social Media & Legal

Bill Montgomery – Education, Community Outreach

Dennis Miller

Denise Perry-Benefits and Outreach

Lisa Brown – Community Outreach

Pam Silcox – Education & Community Outreach

Scott Kearby – Commission Web site, Education & Community Outreach

Janice Cassidy – Education; Representing Harford Community College

Mike Ray –Representing Harford Chamber of Commerce; Benefits and Employment

Rick Scavetta –Aberdeen Proving Ground Commander’s Designee

Vic Petrosino - Chaplain Updates; Outreach

Guest Comments

OLD BUSINESS:

- Grave site donation update
- Memorial Day wreath laying; Memorial Day Events
- “Year of the Veteran” updates
- Resource Fair status
- Outreach events
- Benefits Fair for Veterans and Spouses
- Veterans Treatment Court
- Election of Vice-Chairperson and Recording Secretary

NEW BUSINESS

- 4th of July Parade marching volunteers
- The duties of the Commission and roles of members
 - Information for Veterans
 - Programs and Outreach
 - Advise the County Executive and County Council
 - Public Events and Recognition
- Sub-committee updates, upcoming events and Outreach Activity reports:
 - Veterans Benefits
 - Education
 - Technology and Social Media
 - Community Outreach
 - Employment
 - Legal

FINAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next meeting scheduled is June 6, 2019.
- Meetings are scheduled for the first Thursday of the month unless otherwise announced. There will not be a meeting in July due to participation in the parade
- Final comments from members and guests.

ADJOURNMENT