

REGULAR MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, October 11, 2022 – 6:00 pm Hosted Remotely via MS Teams

IKRAM MANSORI, PRESIDENT
STEPHEN MARTIN-PINTO, VICE-PRESIDENT
WILLIAM BARNICKEL, DOUGLAS BULLARD,
HANLEY CHAN, JASON CHITTAVONG, DEBORAH DACUMOS,
COURTNEY ELLINGTON, CHRISTOPHER MCDONALD, COURTNEY MILLER,
VICTOR OLIVIERI, NICHOLAS RUSANOFF, JORDAN SUN, RAYMOND WONG

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

COMMUNICATIONS

Officers' Reports

President

- o Veterans Day Parade Sign-up Information
- o CVSO

Vice President

Staff Secretary Report

o Update re Meeting Procedure Training

Committee Reports

Legislative and Rules Committee

- o Report by Committee Chair Jason Chittavong
- Communications/Events Committee
 - o Report by Committee Chair Nicholas Rusanoff

Supervisor Liaison Reports

- District 1: Sup. Chan Commissioner Bullard
- District 2: Sup. Stefani Commissioner Wong
- District 3: Sup. Peskin Commissioner McDonald
- District 4: Sup. Mar Commissioner Barnickel
- District 5: Sup. Preston Commissioner Chittavong
- District 6: Sup. Dorsey Commissioner Rusanoff



District 7: Sup. Melgar – Commissioner Chan

District 8: Sup. Mandelman – Commissioner Dacumos

District 9: Sup. Ronen – Commissioner Miller

District 10: Sup. Walton – Commissioner Ellington

District 11: Sup. Safai – Commissioner Bullard

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

o September 13, 2022 Regular Meeting Minutes

AGENDA CHANGES

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- Policy Roundtable Event [Discussion]
- Wreaths Across America Mobile Education Exhibit [Discussion]
- Veterans Blvd. Signs in Need of Repair Update [Discussion]

NEW BUSINESS

GOOD WELFARE

This is the opportunity for members of the Veterans Affairs Commission to share special thanks and congratulatory remarks for the good welfare taking place in the veterans community.

PUBLIC COMMENT

An opportunity for members of the public to directly address the Commission on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Commission, including items being considered today which have not been considered by a Commission committee and excluding items which have been considered by a Commission committee. Members of the public may address the Commission for up to two minutes.

Each member of the public will be allotted the same number of minutes to speak, except that public speakers using translation assistance will be allowed to testify for twice the amount of the public testimony time limit. If simultaneous translation services are used, speakers will be governed by the public testimony time limit applied to speakers not requesting translation assistance. The President or the Commission may limit the total testimony to 30 minutes.



Members of the public who want a document placed on the overhead for display should clearly state such and subsequently remove the document when they want the screen to return to live coverage of the meeting.

HONORS REPORT AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

In memory of American service members in all wars and conflicts who made the ultimate sacrifice. We also remember the passing of homeless veterans, veterans who died while awaiting approval of benefits, and suicides within the veteran and armed service communities.

ADJOURNMENT

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