

**CITY OF LAKE STEVENS
VETERANS COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES**

Monday, July 7, 2021

VIA Zoom – Remote Access Only

CALL TO ORDER: 7:00 p.m.

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT: Dennis Ives, Kim Daughtry, Kevin McLarnon, Karmin Pincus, Gayle McCurdy and Samara Heydon

COMMISSIONERS ABSENT: Kurt Hilt, Vern Rasmussen, Debbie Welch, Shawn Frederick and Marcus Tageant

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Kelly Chelin, City Clerk

Call to Order

The meeting was called together at 7:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

MOTION. Commissioner McLarnon made a motion, seconded by Commissioner Daughtry, to excuse the absent members. The motion passed 6-0-0-5.

Public Comment

None.

Approval of Minutes: June 7, 2021

MOTION. Commissioner Daughtry made a motion, seconded by Commissioner McCurdy, to approve the minutes for June 7, 2021. The motion passed 6-0-0-5.

Council Report to City Council/Recognize Veteran Owned Businesses

The Commission discussed the Council report. The Commission would like to recognize the veteran owned businesses in the City at the Council meeting. The Council meeting will be taking place via zoom. The Commission also spoke about veteran friendly businesses that may hire veterans or have discounts for veterans.

Job Fair on October 23, 2021

The Commission spoke about waiting until next year for the job fair. The job fair will be rescheduled for a date in 2022.

Starbucks – Veterans Community in Kindness

Due to the absence of members, this agenda item will be discussed at the next meeting.

Mobile Pop-Up Vaccine Clinic

The Commission decided that this is not the right time to start a mobile pop-up clinic.

Adopt a Highway Project

Commission Heydon spoke to the project. Need to pick a date that works everyone. The Commission will have to clean up Highway 204. The clean-up will happen 4 times a year including Earth Day.

New Business

Purple Heart Signs. There is only one sign up. Would like to schedule a picture of the Mayor and Commission in front of the sign.

Polos. The Commission spoke about wanting polo shirts embroidered with the Veterans Commission logo. City Clerk Chelin will look into this further.

Coffee Klatch. The next Coffee Klatch will be July 17, 2021 at 8:00 a.m.

Upcoming Agenda Items

The next meeting will be August 2, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. Agenda items will be:

- Veterans Owned Business Certificates
- Adopt-a-Highway
- Job Fair
- Starbucks – Veterans Community in Kindness
- Polo Shirts

Adjourn: Commissioner McCurdy made a motion, seconded by Commissioner McLarnon, to adjourn the meeting. The motion passed 6-0-0-5. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Kelly Chelin

Kelly Chelin, City Clerk