

Veteran's Commission

Meeting Minutes

January 24th 2018

7:00 PM Welling Conference Room

I. Called To Order at 7:00 PM

II. Roll Call: Those in Attendance were: Chairman Joshua Quintana, Vice Chairman Awet Tsegai Commissioners, Melody Wilson, Vincent Parys, John Cook, and Peter Beley Jr.

Absent: Commissioners, Timothy Siggia, Eugene Pushefski

III. Old Business:

Craig Jordan spoke about the Goodwin College Falling Star Monument and how they had already had land and a \$50,000 deposit for the architect. The Commission signaled its willingness to be involved and offer support.

The Commission adopted the Budget of both the Veteran's Affairs and Patriotic Commission.

There was discussion on finding out whether the commission would proceed with a Parade or the Memorial Day Concert in conjunction with the East Hartford High School Iron Hornet.

IV. New Business:

There was serious discussion to talk with the Gregg Fox at O'Connell School and include them in the Flag Plantings for Memorial Day and Veteran's Day.

V. Payment of Bills: Commissioner Peter Beley had a bill of \$133.55 for the awards for the Children of O'Connell School for their Wreaths Across America efforts at Silver Lane Cemetery. Commissioner Vincent Parys moved to pay the bill and it was seconded by Commissioner Melody Wilson.

VI. Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned with the Consent of the Commission at 7:48PM