

Veteran's Commission

Meeting Minutes

November 15th 2017
7:00 PM Welling Conference Room

- I. Called To Order at 7:00 PM
- II. Roll Call: Those in Attendance were: Chairman Joshua Quintana, Commissioners Timothy Siggia, Melody Wilson, Vincent Parys, and Peter Beley Jr.

Absent: Commissioners Awet Tsegai, John Cook
- III. Adoption of Rules Governing Minutes: Commissioner Wilson moved to adopt Roberts Rules of Order as the official Parliamentary rules for all Veterans' Commission meetings. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Siggia and passed unanimously
- IV. Establishment of Meeting Dates: Chairman Quintana presented the following for meeting dates at 7 pm in Town Hall:

January 17th
February 21st
March 21st
April 18th
May 16th
June 20th
July 18th
September 19th
October 17th
November 21st
- V. Old Business: No Old Business
- VI. New Business:

Wreaths Across America: The Veterans' Commission expressed support and would attend the 2017 Wreaths Across America event at Silver Lane cemetery in December. Principal Gregg Fox of Hockanum School then proceeded to lead the Elementary School volunteers who raised the money to canvass Silver Lane

Cemetery with wreaths.

The Falling Star Monument: The Chairman would reach out the Craig Jordan of Goodwin College and Congressman John Larson's office to work on the Falling Star monument and its placing in the town of East Hartford.

Language was presented and adopted for the Citation of Recognition for Candace Gustamaccio for her help with the Memorial Day celebration at East Hartford High School.

- VII. Payment of Bills: Commissioner Awet Tsegai had a bill of \$39.75 for the frame for the Citation to Candace Gustamaccio. Commissioner Vincent Parys moved to pay the bill and it was seconded by Commissioner Melody Wilson.

- VIII. Open Floor:

Congratulations were offered to the newly elected Constables Melody Wilson and Joshua Quintana

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