WOMEN VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (WVAC)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, March 21, 2018 - 10:00 a.m.

Meeting Held and Public Access Located:

Nevada Department of Veterans Services 5460 Reno Corporate Drive, Suite 131 Reno, NV 89502 775-532-4777 IP#10.143.14.14

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State of Nevada, Grant Sawyer Building 555 E. Washington Ave., Suite #3200 Las Vegas, NV 89101 702-486-3830 IP# 10.231.1.248

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AGENDA

Please Note: The Women Veterans Advisory Committee may (1) address agenda items out of sequence to accommodate persons appearing before the Panel or to aid the efficiency or effectiveness of the meeting; (2) combine items for consideration by the public body; and (3) pull or remove items from the agenda at any time. The Panel may convene in closed session to consider the character, alleged misconduct, professional competence or physical or mental health of a person. See NRS 241.030. Prior to the commencement and conclusion of a contested case or a quasi judicial proceeding that may affect the due process rights of an individual the board may refuse to consider public comment. See NRS 233B.126.

At the discretion of the Chair, public comment is welcomed by the Panel, but will be limited to five minutes per person. A public comment time will be available at the beginning of the meeting and then once again prior to adjournment of the meeting. The Chair may allow additional time to be given a speaker as time allows and in his/her sole discretion. Once all items on the agenda are completed the meeting will adjourn.

- Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance, Roll Call of Members, and Establish Quorum
- 2. Public Comment

Note: No vote may be taken upon a matter raised under public comment until the matter itself has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action may be taken. (NRS 241.020)

3. Review and Approval of 1-10-2018 Meeting Minutes (For Possible Action)

4. New Business

- a. Make recommendations to NDVS on how to use VIS data to better serve Women Veterans (For discussion)
- b. Update from NDVS on the Women Veterans Section of the Unique Populations module of the NVA training and make further recommendations for changes to NDVS as needed (For discussion and possible action)
- c. Legislative update by Charley Smith in preparation for Legislative Symposium (for discussion)
- d. Review what the statute (NRS417) says about the WVAC and decide whether or not the language in the statute needs to be adjusted. (For discussion and possible action)
- e. Update on speaking engagements to "Celebrate the Legacy of Nevada's Women Veterans" and ways to promote speaking (For discussion and possible action)
- f. How can the WVAC help NDVS accomplish the goals in the NDVS Women Veterans, Program Strategic Plan (For discussion)
- g. NDVS update and comments (For discussion)
- 5. Agenda Items for Next Meeting (for discussion only)
- 6. Next Meeting Date/Location: Wednesday, May 23 2018, 10:00am
- 7. WVAC Committee Members Comments
- 8. Public comment

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9. Adjournment

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