

WOMEN VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (WVAC)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Wednesday, May 8, 2019 - 10:00 a.m.

Meeting Held and Public Access

Located:

Nevada Department of Veterans Services
6630 South McCarran Blvd., Bldg. C, Ste. 204
Reno, NV 89509

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AGENDA

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At the discretion of the Chair, public comment is welcomed by the committee, 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.

- 1. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance, Roll Call of Members, and Establish Quorum**
- 2. Public Comment**
- 3. Review and Approval of 03-19-2019 Meeting Minutes (For Possible Action)**
- 4. New Business**
 - a. Presentation by Adopt A Vet Dental focusing on how to reach out to Women Veterans (For Discussion)

- b. NDVS Update – Deputy Director, Programs and Services, Fred Wagar (For Discussion)
- c. WVAC Recommendations on NDVS Women Veterans Program Strategic Plan (For discussion and Possible Action)
- d. Sexual Harassment & Discrimination Policy Information Training for Committee members (For Discussion)
- e. Request NDVS grant for purchase of "Nevada Women Veteran" pins or other items (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- f. Follow up actions on Women Veterans Forum on Celebrating the Legacy of Women Veterans held on March 20, 2019 (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- g. Legislative Update by Committee member Smith and Vice Chair Oates. This includes discussion regarding how we can make third week in March Nevada Military Women's History Week permanent (For Discussion and Possible Action)
- h. 2019 Women Veterans Alliance Unconference in Monterey, CA and 2020 Women Veterans Alliance Unconference in Las Vegas – Committee member Emprima-Martin (For Discussion)
- i. Continued discussion on recommendations for WVAC Biannual Report to the Governor due February 2020 (For Discussion)
- j. Consider a statewide effort to register all eligible women veterans from the state of Nevada for recognition on the Women in Military Service for America Memorial at Arlington National Cemetery in Washington, D.C. (For discussion and possible action)

5. Agenda Items for Next Meeting (For Discussion)

6. Future Meeting Dates/Location:

7. WVAC Committee Members Comments

8. Public comment

9. Adjournment

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)

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