

## Hampton Roads Council of Veterans Organizations

### Meeting Minutes June 24, 2024

The meeting was called to order at 7 pm by HRCVO President Dan Doyle.

Invocation by Immediate Past President.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.

Roll call of Officers and Directors: Present were President Dan Doyle, Immediate Past President Robert Randall, Secretary Roger Durity, Treasurer Mike Maliniak, and Board of Directors Scott Breuer, Kathy Goodall, and Michael Bukowski. Excused absent Chaplain Kevin Bowser. Vice President position vacant.

Guest Speaker: Mike Feggans, Virginia Delegate 97<sup>th</sup> District. He informed the HRCVO on the following:

- Virginia Military Survivors Dependent Education Program (VMSDEP)
- House of Delegates HB 6003, a clean, full, repeal of the recent eligibility changes to the Virginia Military Survivors and Dependents Education Program (VMSDEP).

Guest Speaker: John Cooper, Air Force Sergeants Association Alternative Rep. Virginia Joint Leadership Council (JLC). He also briefed the HRCVO on the VMSDEP at the JLC meeting.

Both guest speakers encouraged the HRCVO members to contact their Senate representatives regarding VMDEP.

President's Report and Opening Remarks:

Dan gave an update on the HRCVO donation to the Hampton VAMC. He gave thanks to everyone for their donation donations.

The minutes from the previous meeting were posted. Motion: Kathy Goodall, 2<sup>nd</sup> Robert Randall. The minutes were approved as posted.

Treasurer's Report:

Mike read the treasurer's report. He also reported:

- Bills and Invoices Paid/Pending/Forthcoming
- Financial statement review
- The HRCVO had transferred \$10,000 from the checking account to purchase a Certificate of Deposit at Southern Bank.

Venetta Charles inquired about the bank where the CDs were bought. The treasurer provided information that the bank is Southern Bank.

Dan Doyle encouraged everyone to purchase tickets for the Veterans Day luncheon.

The financial report was submitted and posted to the website for review.

POA&M Review:

Ron O'Donnell gave an update on the 2024 Veterans Day Parade Co-Marshall. He stated that he would have the Chaplain's information at the next meeting.

Mike Maliniak sent the parade request to the VBPD Honor Guard to provide a 21-Rifle Salute at the Tidewater Veterans Memorial on 19<sup>th</sup> Street after the parade on Monday, 11 November 2024.

Bob Freitag had questions and clarified the timeline for the Co-Marshall information required in June. Bob also stated that he is working with VB City Rep. Barbara Morrison.

Dan Doyle mentioned that Deanna Parrish represents VB City at the HRCVO.

Dan Doyle gave an update on the 2024 Veterans Day Parade to include.

- He toured the parade route with the City Department of Tourism.
- Starting the parade further back on Atlantic Ave.
- All the staging will be on Atlantic Ave.
- Construction completed on Mediterranean Ave.
- No Jeep Festival scheduled on the day of the parade.
- He exchanged emails with band personnel with the VB Public Schools to increase participation in the parade.

Bob Randall mentioned, as a reminder, that Veterans Day will be on a Monday which may impact parade participation.

Old/Unfinished Business:

Dan Doyle mentioned the vacancy of the Vice President position and asked for a volunteer.

New Business:

Bob Freitag mentioned the passing of Vince Parisi (sp), a past HRCVO member who made great contributions to the HRCVO. He suggested that the HRCVO provide a paver at the Tidewater Veteran Memorial in honor.

Good of the Order:

Bob Randall mentioned that Tony Vaughn, 2<sup>nd</sup> District of the American Legion, had said that there would be a golf tournament Veterans Day weekend. Dan stated that there will be descendants of 2 Medal of Honor recipients from WWII that may be in the golf tournament. He was in contact with Tony Vaughn to discuss the arrangements to try and get the dignitaries to the Veterans Day Parade. More information to follow.

Ron O'Donnell mentioned that VFW 3219 is having a Golf Tournament with a 1-million-dollar Hole-in-one for charity on September 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024, at the Woodlands Golf Course, Hampton VA.

Venetta Charles mentioned volunteers needed for the Veterans Day Luncheon. She asked for theme-related baskets from the VSOs for the luncheon day charity raffle. She said that any VSO who provided a basket at the 2023 Veterans Day Luncheon and did not receive an acknowledgment letter, to contact her.

The next meeting will be on Monday, July 22nd, 2024, at 7 pm.

Benediction/Prayer for Our Troops offered.

The meeting adjourned at 7:44 pm

**HRCVO**  
**Financial Report**  
**June 2024**

**Beginning Balance (6/1/2024)**

Checking \$ 4,055.83

Savings \$ 13,029.30

(3 June 2024: \$10,000 moved from Savings to 6-Month CD @ 4.75%)  
(Interest is accrued monthly on the date of opening)

**Total \$ 17,085.13**

**Income**

American Legion Post 327 Annual Donation (2024/25) \$ 100.00

Savings Account Interest \$ 0.45

**Total Monthly Income \$ 100.45**

**Expenses**

**Total Monthly Expenses \$ -**

**Ending Balance (6/30/2024) \$ 17,185.58**

Submitted by Mike Maliniak, Treasurer

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## Meeting Agenda

June 24, 2024

1. Call to Order
2. Invocation by HRCVO Chaplain
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call of Officers and Directors
5. President's Report
  - VAMC Donation Visit
  - Virginia Military Survivors and Dependents Education Program (VMSDEP)
6. Review and Acceptance of Minutes from Previous Meeting
7. Treasurer's Report:
  - Bills and Invoices Paid/Pending/Forthcoming
  - Financial Statement Review
8. POA&M Review
  - 2024 Veterans Day Parade Co-Marshal Report
  - 2024 Veterans Day Parade Route
9. Old/Unfinished Business
10. New Business
11. Organizational Reports
12. Good of the Order
  - Next meeting date = July 22, 2024 at 7 PM
  - Discussion items from the floor
13. Benediction/Prayer for Our Troops by HRCVO Chaplain
  - Lord, hold our troops in your loving hands. Protect them as they protect us. Bless them and their families for the selfless acts they perform for us in our time of need.
14. Adjourn

# HRCVO ATTENDANCE ROSTER

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS	NAME	Phone Number	Email Address
1st Marine Division Association			
27th Marines Regiment Association			
29th Division Association			
Air & Space Forces Assn, Tidewater Chap. 323	M. B. Fegans	757-450-8273	Mike.Fegans@gmail.com
Air Force Women's Association			
American Gold Star Mothers, H. R. Chapter			
American Gold Star Wives, H. R. Chapter			
American Legion 2nd District			
American Legion Post 110			
American Legion Post 113	Clifford I. Dietz	757 512-5387	cdietz59@gmail.com
American Legion Post 327	David B. Seate	757 285-6119	dbsproair@cox.net
American Legion Womens Post 118			
American Veterans Post 69	ROBER Dietz		
Beirut Veterans of America			
Chesapeake Mayor's Commission on Veterans Affairs (MCVA)	Venella Charles	(257)663-1495	Venella.Charles@gmail.com
Coalition of Retired Military Veterans			

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MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS	NAME	Phone Number	Email Address
Disabled Veterans Chapter 20			
Disabled Veterans Chapter 26			
Disabled Veterans Chapter 41			
Filipino-American Veterans of H. R.			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 5			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 37			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 60			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 99			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 166			
Fleet Reserve Association Branch 257			
Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie 3204	SCOTT BREUER	757 450-1940	sbreuha@gmail.com
Guadalcanal Campaign Veterans			
Hampton Roads Chamber	Bob FREITAG	757 497-3336	RTFREI@AOL.COM
Honor Society of Women Legionnaires 20 & 4			
Jewish War Vets. Old Dominion Post #158			
Knights of Columbus Assembly #1162			

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MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS	NAME	Phone Number	Email Address
Knights of Columbus Assembly #2588	Mike Maliniak	757 467-9017	mmaliniak@cox.net
La Societe Des 40 Hommes Et 8 Chevaux	Mike Bukowski		
Marine Corps League			
Marine Corps League Detachment 332			
Mil Offs. Assn of America H.R. Chapter	STEPHEN BARRETT	757-228-7628	stb19492@verizon.net
Military Order of the Purple Heart			
Military Order of the World Wars, V. B. Chap.			
Military Women of Tidewater - Unit 152			
Mission POW/MIA			
National Sojourners H. R. Chapter 6			
Patriot Guard Riders			
Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp 484			
Sons of Confederate Veterans Camp 1549	Bob Stanley	757-424-4540	graywolf4@peoplepc.com
Special Forces Assn, Chapter 84			
Team - Red, White & Blue			
Tidewater Council - Boy Scouts	Joel Cesar	800 342 8845	Joel.Cesar@Scouting.org

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MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS	NAME	Phone Number	Email Address
USS FORRESTAL Association			
U. S. Military Vets. Motorcycle Club Chap 1			
U. S. Submarine Vets. of Hampton Roads	RUN O'DONNELL	7575440105	DICASTER2@VERIZON.NET
Veterans Association of Real Estate Professionals			
Veterans of Foreign Wars District 2			
Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 392			
Veterans of Foreign Wars Tidewater Post 3160			
Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4809	Kathy Goodall	757- 572-8224	skckagret@yahoo.com
Veterans Kitchen, Inc.			
Veterans of Underage Military Service			
Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 48			
Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 969			
Virginia Beach Mayors Committee for Veterans	JIB Gil HART	757 6190490	GSECHART@AOL.COM
Virginia Department of Veterans Services			
Virginia Patriot Guard Hampton Roads District 5			
Women's Marine Association			

