

**Veterans Affairs Task Force** 

Fifth Meeting June 3, 2021 @ 19:00

Municipal Office Building - Lg. Conference Room & Zoom

Members by Zoom: Stephen Marden

Members in Person: Robert Roy, Mary Krumsiek, John Nolan, Stuart Mulhane, Ronald

Stacey, Bernie Plante, Shelly Gannon,

**Absent: Shelly Gannon** 

Others Attending: Justine Caggiano - Human Resources, Jayne Marie Davolio - Town

Clerk

The meeting began at 7:00 pm with the pledge of allegiance.

Approval of Minutes from May 6, 2021 All in favor roll call Bernie 2nd Mary Krumsiek

Wagon Wheel and Cannon update Mary Krumsiek: Waiting for the paint, 2 gallons and we should paint the cannon. Wheels are primed and send an email to all. Discussion on how to paint the wheels and the cannon. It was hard to paint the backing of the wheels and we will try to assess the situation.

Bill Approval and accept restoration work; Stuart war memorial has been completed, we need to accept the work and vote to pay the bill. The granite is cleaned and it does have different colors in it. Explanation of the bronze and cleaning of the smaller plaques.

Copy of the agreement and that the work was stated, invoice needed. Mary Krumisek accept the motion to approve 5725.00 all in favor. 2<sup>nd</sup> Keith Gasco.

Compliance with M.G.L. c9 ss26-27c Message from the TM, prior commitment Kudos to thank everyone Grant money came in today for 4500.00.. Hisitorical Commission the memorials are out of compliance with the MGL. We should put them on the national register. Justine can look into it and find out what it encompasses and we will go from

there. Bob Roy stated that we should do this. Mary Krumsiek, discussion on the monuemnts. Get the committee to work on the paperwork.

Round Table Discussion: Mr. Stacey, rosary beads to Bob Roy new chairperson to be brought to the VFW. The expense is becoming too large.

Summer Meeting Schedule: September meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday. New projects and Keith Gasco status of the monuments. DAV legal rep free Mr. Stacey- fundraisers are cost of admin and doesn't get to the veterans.

MK proud of the committee and how fast things were done.

MK motion 1st Thursday in Sept. all in favor roll call.

Flag retirement ceremony a week from Thursday at 6:30 VFW. June 10, 2021.

Motion to close the meeting by Mary Krumsiek seconded by Keith Gasco, roll call vote to close the meeting all in favor.

Meeting closed @	1/1/6/1
Robert Roy, Chairperson:	Kolind Kay
Mary Krumsiek, Vice Chairperson:	Dernal Starte
John Nolan, Clerk	bh///
Stuart Mulhane	Strat P. Mulhane
Shelly Gannon	
Ronald Stacey	Monatel Story
E. Bernard Plante	
Stephen Marden	