

IOWA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Subcommittee Meeting
Conference Call on Thursday, March 2, 2017
Beginning at 9:00 a.m.
Camp Dodge, Bldg. 3465
7105 - NW 70th Avenue
Johnston, IA 50313-1824

Present: Ron Langel
Mary Van Horn

By Phone: Gary Wattnem
Elizabeth Ledvina
George Goebel
Monica Brouse

Staff: Missy Miller, Trust Fund Administrator – Conference Call Recording Secretary

NOTE: THESE MINUTES ARE 'UNAPPROVED' UNTIL ACCEPTED BY THE COMMISSION AT THE NEXT MEETING.

APPROVED: 
Daniel J. Gannon, Chair, Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs

Date: April 5, 2017

Call to Order:

Purpose of meeting is to approve Trust Fund applications.

Discussion and Action of pending Veterans Trust Fund Applications

After discussion of application #00250-6 from Warren County requesting \$2,500 for dental expenses, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Goebel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #00870-3 from Cerro Gordo County requesting \$788 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Langel made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Van Horn. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01080-2 from Floyd County requesting \$2,432.80 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Van Horn. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01085-2 from Floyd County requesting \$777.84 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Goebel made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Langel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01167-2 from Scott County requesting \$2,946.86 for education expenses, Commissioner Ledvina made a motion to deny because it doesn't establish businesses. Motion carried; denied unanimously.

After discussion of application #01264 from Webster County requesting \$1,559.10 for dental expenses, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Langel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01265 from Woodbury County requesting \$2,101 for dental expenses, Commissioner Goebel made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Van Horn. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01266 from Polk County requesting \$1,432.81 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Ledvina made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Goebel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01267 from Black Hawk County requesting \$2,500 for durable medical equipment, Commissioner Ledvina made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Wattnem. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01268 from Lyon County requesting \$5,000 for emergency room costs, Commissioner Goebel made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Wattnem. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01269 from Benton County requesting \$1,635.47 for dental expenses, Commissioner Van Horn made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Wattnem. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01270 from Polk County requesting \$1,199.77 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Van Horn. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01271 from Polk County requesting \$1,860.07 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Goebel made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Wattnem. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01272 from Winnebago County requesting \$2,077 for dental expenses, Commissioner Van Horn made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Langel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01273 from Lyon County requesting \$2,018.55 for emergency medical attention, Commissioner Ledvina made a motion to defer they are waiting for a current invoice/billing. Commissioner Goebel seconded the motion; application has been deferred unanimously.

After discussion of application #01274 from Floyd County requesting \$1,744.32 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Ledvina. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

After discussion of application #01275 from Iowa County requesting \$1,258 for incurred medical debt, Commissioner Van Horn made a motion to deny because the Trust Fund does not pay for incurred debt. Commissioner Ledvina seconded the motion; motion carried; denied unanimously.

After discussion of application #01276 from Linn County requesting \$1,373.69 for vehicle repairs, Commissioner Wattnem made a motion to approve and was seconded by Commissioner Goebel. Motion carried; approved unanimously.

Next Conference Call

Next conference call is scheduled for Thursday, April 6, beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Adjournment:

Conference call adjourned at 10:00 a.m.