

Monroe County Department of Veterans Affairs Committee

MINUTES from
March 14th 2023

Monthly Meeting of VAC

Chair: Edward Straub
Minutes: Al Bond, Coordinator
Members: Rick Gagne, Linda Lefcheck, Larry Cymbola and James Walker
A quorum was established.
Absent: 0
Attendees: 0

Meeting called to order at 9:00am

Minutes of previous meeting: Motion to approve by LEFCHECK and seconded by GAGNE.
Approved 5-0.

Communications: NONE

Old Business: County of Monroe Board of Commissioner's submitted letter of support to Comcast on 3-10-2023. Letter stated support for indigent veterans to receive free internet.

New Business:

A) Requesting additional \$20,000 from reserve fund to be placed in 2023 veteran's emergency fund.
Motion made by CYMBOL, Seconded by LEFCHECK. Motion approved 5-0

B) Burial Benefit Request

ANDREOLI- \$350
HANDLER- \$350
WOOD- \$350
PINCHOFF- \$350

Total Requested \$1400.00
Total Approved- \$1400.00

Motion to approve all by GAGNE, seconded by LEFCHECK
Approved 5-0

C) Emergency Aid Request

VETERAN (HICKS)

Total Requested-\$3163.06.00

Total Approved- \$1815.74.00

VETERAN (GILL)

Total Requested-\$1234.80

Total Approved- \$1234.80

VETERAN (MORRIS)

Total Requested- \$3672.00

Total Approved- \$258.65

VETERAN (FERGUSON)

Total Requested- \$2106.28

Total Approved- \$2106.28

Total Emergency Aid Requested- \$10177.07

Total Emergency Aid Approved- \$5,415.47

Motion to approve by WALKER, seconded by GAGNE. Approved 5-0.

Reports from Committee/Members: None

Public Comment: None

Other Comments from members: None

Adjournment: Motion to adjourn at 11:27am by WALKER and seconded by LEFCHECK.

Approved 5-0.

Next Meeting: April 11thth 2023 at 9:00am

At 965. S. Raisinville Rd. Monroe Mi. 48161