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MEL BAHER
COMMISSIONER



American Veterans
FRANK POCCHI
COMMISSIONER



Disabled American Veterans
LENON WRIGHT
COMMISSIONER



Veterans of Foreign Wars
JAMES RILEY
COMMISSIONER



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BOB POTTS
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MINUTES

DATE/TIME: January 14, 2026 9:30 a.m.

PRESENT: Frank Pocci, President
Lenon Wright, Vice President
Bob Potts, Secretary
Mel Baher, Commissioner
James Riley, President
Jon Reiss, Executive Director
Feronne Williams, Deputy Director
Mary Kitko, Executive Secretary

EXCUSED: None.

VISITORS: None.

PURPOSE: GENERAL MONTHLY MEETING

The meeting was called to order by President Jim Riley with the Pledge of Allegiance. Board Secretary Lenon Wright called roll.

EXECUTIVE SESSEION:


A motion was made by Mel Baher to go into Executive Session to consider discipline of a public employee. Motion seconded by Bob Potts.


AYES: Baher, Pocci, Potts, Riley, Wright. NAYS: None. Motion carried. (9:30 a.m.)

The Board came out of Executive Session and returned to the regular order of business at 10:50 a.m. In Executive Session the Board discussed discipline of a public employee.

With no further business, a motion was made by Bob Potts to adjourn the meeting at 10:51 a.m. Motion seconded by Lenon Wright.

AYES: Baher, Pocci, Potts, Riley, Wright. NAYS: None. Motion carried.


Frank Pocci, President


Bob Potts, Secretary

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