



VETERANS SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD

**Citrus County Resource Center
2804 Marc Knighton Court
Lecanto, FL 34461**

AGENDA

May 9, 2024 - 3:30 PM

**Richard Floyd, Chairman
Tom O' Brien, Vice Chairman
Joseph Reale, Member**

**Walter Osburn, Member
Arlena Newson**

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

To manage growth and foster prosperity by prioritizing the protection of environmental assets, the development and maintenance of infrastructure, and the health, safety, and well-being of its citizens.

Any person who decides to appeal any decision of the Governing Board with respect to any matter considered at this meeting will need a record of the proceedings and for such purpose may need to provide that a verbatim record of proceeding is made, which record includes testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. (Section 286.0105, Florida Statutes) Any person requiring reasonable accommodation at this meeting because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the County Administrator's Office, Citrus County Courthouse, 110 N. Apopka Avenue, Inverness, Florida 34450, (352) 341-6560, at least two days before the meeting.

A. CALL TO ORDER

A.1. Pledge of Allegiance

A.2. Roll Call

A.3. Approval of Agenda

B. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

C.1. Minutes

Approval of Minutes from March 14, 2024 meeting

D. OLD BUSINESS

1. Arlena Newson and Bud Osborn have been confirmed
2. Jan-Feb 806 veteran/families served as well as 9 outreaches into the community
3. Funding update on the Bridge4Veterans
4. VA Site selection for new VA Clinic delayed until Oct 24
5. Community Services Open house Mar 23rd 10-2

E. NEW BUSINESS

E.1. VSO Updates

1. Mar-Apr 822 veteran/families served as well as 8 outreaches into the community
2. Rep Bilirakis Veterans Resource Fair Jun 8th 10-12 Spring Hill
3. Retired pay act, dental care, and Paper Act (potential legislation)
4. Problems with Community Care?
5. Unqualified VBA contractors doing claims?
6. Problem finding landlords to accept HUDVASH vouchers.

Any feedback from Veteran's Group in our community

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