

North Dakota Veterans Coordinating Council
Steel Veterans Club
June 28-29, 2018

Meeting called to order by President Karen Meier with Salute and Pledge.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Treasure report was given by Matthews

Old business:

New Business: Mr. Wangen brought up the subject of new vans. Will need to replace 2 vans. Felt that no vans are necessary will rotate around until the next biennium. Council agreed.

Women's Veteran License plate was tabled for now.

Lobbying/Lobbyist. 1. Law student from Grand Forks (UND) will be activated so can not be a lobbyist for us, but could be a contact for us. Trish is looking at applications for us. There are 8 bills to testify for us.

2. Jim Nelson (AMVETS) Volunteered to be lobbyist. Will check on nametags.

Motion was made to combine bills 4,5, and 6 was made by Larry Young, second by Wayne Krueger. Passed.

Legislative Subcommittee was formed by a motion from Bill Tuff, second by Joe Hall. Passed and will consist of Jim Nelson, Larry Young, Bruce Sailor, Joe Hall, Karen Meier.

Subcommittee will check into bills 1,2,3, and 8, and will possibly get rid of #7.

Electronic pull tab machine were approved, need to make sure Veteran organizations have machines.

Veterans Caucus

Bruce Sailor discussed the social function, asked if we need it. Subcommittee will look into it.

Trish Hodny brought up a place like AMVETS or VFW to meet with National Guard. Subcommittee will look into partnership with the guard.

Motion to adjourn

Respectively submitted
Ronald Matthews