

**VETERANS, CEREMONY AND PARADE COMMISSION**  
**REGULAR MEETING**  
**July 13, 2015**

The Veterans, Ceremony and Parade Commission held their regular meeting on Monday, July 13, 2015 at the Fowler Memorial Building, 45 New Haven Avenue, Milford. Vice Chairman C. Smith called the meeting to order at 7:02PM and those present stood for the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

I. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT

Christine Smith, Vice Chairman  
Gregory Smith  
John Jansen  
Russell Edwards

EXCUSED

Thomas Flowers, Chairman  
Pattie Deer  
Christopher Roberts

GUESTS PRESENT

Richard Shea  
Wayne Carson

- II. Consideration of Minutes: June 8, 2015 Minutes were reviewed. Motion made by G. Smith that the Minutes be accepted as distributed; seconded by J. Jansen. All in favor; motion carried.
- III. Public Comment/Questions: None.
- IV. Chairman's Report:
- a) Chairman Flowers has placed the order with Lifetime Products for new tables and chairs.
  - b) Grand Marshal and Guest Speakers for the Veterans Day Parade needs to be determined and will be discussed further at next month's meeting.
- V. Unfinished Business:
- a) July 4<sup>th</sup> Wreath Laying Ceremony
    - i. Ceremony was well done, nicely attended and received good media coverage.
    - ii. Revolutionary War Monument – the 13-star flag was changed to a 50-star flag. VCPC to look into having it switched back to a 13-star flag.
- VI. New Business
- a) Oyster Festival - G. Smith requested that the VFW have the same spot as in years past. Motion made by C. Smith to allow the VFW to have that location; seconded by R. Edwards. All in favor; motion carried.
- VII. Good of the Order:
- a) C. Smith has been updating the calendar for Fowler Memorial Building usage and reminded the Committee that requests for building usage should go through her.
  - b) Deep River Muster is coming up on Friday and Saturday, July 18-19.

- VIII. Possible Agenda Topics:  
a) Staffing lobby at Veterans Memorial Auditorium.

- IX. Announcements: None.

Being no further business to discuss, C. Smith made a motion to adjourn, seconded by G. Smith. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting adjourned at 7:18PM.

Next meeting will be held on August 10, 2015 at 7PM.

Respectfully submitted,

*Patricia Durner*

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Recording Secretary