

VETERANS, CEREMONY AND PARADE COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
SEPTEMBER 12, 2016

The Veterans, Ceremony and Parade Commission held their Regular Meeting on Monday, September 12, 2016 at the Veterans Memorial Auditorium, 70 West River Street, Milford. Chairman T. Flowers called the meeting to order at 7:10PM and asked those present to stand for the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

I. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT

Thomas Flowers, Chairman
Christine Smith, Vice Chairman
Niles Mackenzie
Gregory Smith
Pattie Deer
Russell Edwards

ABSENT/EXCUSED

John Jansen

GUESTS PRESENT

William Kates

II. Consideration of Minutes – Chairman Flowers discussed the Veterans Memorial Auditorium and disclosed motions and amendments to same. P. Deer made a motion to accept the August 2016 Minutes as distributed. C. Smith seconded; all in favor.

III. Public Comment/Questions – None.

IV. Chairman's Report – Received letter from Milford Garden Club (National) regarding Blue Star Memorial. Memorial Day weekend 2017 is target date. Milford Garden Club will attend VCPC November meeting.

V. Unfinished Business – None.

VI. New Business

1. Veterans Day Parade

- a. G. Smith is in contact with Aleks Morosky to be Grand Marshall. Bio is forthcoming.
- b. T. Flowers to meet with Downtown Milford Business Association to discuss Saturday Veterans Day Parades.
- c. High School Band will not be able to attend Veterans Day Parade on November 5th; options discussed in length. P. Deer made a motion to change the Parade date to November 12th at 10:30AM. G. Smith seconded; all in favor if High School band can support. T. Flowers to contact all involved.
- d. Discussion about working with Downtown Merchants Association on specials, etc. ensued. Incorporate ideas into Facebook page.

VII. Good of the Order

1. POW/MIA Remembrance at VFW 7788 on Friday, September 16th at 7PM.

VIII. Possible Agenda Topics - None.

IX. **Announcements** - None.

Being no further business to discuss, R. Edwards made a motion to adjourn. N. Mackenzie seconded; all in favor. The meeting adjourned at 8:15PM.

Next meeting will be held on October 10, 2016 at 7PM at the Fowler Building.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia Durner
Recording Secretary