

REGULAR MEETING of the COMMISSION ON VETERAN AFFAIRS Wednesday, October 19, 2022 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

City of Austin Permitting & Development Center 6310 Wilhelmina Delco Dr., Room 1401
Austin, TX 78752

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AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION:

1. Approve the minutes of the Commission on Veteran Affairs Regular Meeting of May 18, 2022

2. Approve the minutes of the Commission on Veteran Affairs Regular Meeting of Sept, 21 2022

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 3. Continue to Identify any veteran encampments and number of homeless veterans located in the City of Austin
- 4. Discussion and possible presentation how and which Austin non-profits are involved with veterans in the region
- 5. Continue the vouchers discussion with TSO for Veterans
- 6. Discussion, update, and possible presentation of the addition of Military/Veteran Affairs Office
- 7. Discussion about the Veteran Day's Parade

DISCUSSION ITEMS ACTION ITEMS

- 8. Discuss and possible vote on the establishment of a Stand Down
- 9. Discuss and vote for the continued time to meet 3rd Wednesday of every month at 7pm and took them hybrid.
- 10. Opportunity for anyone to share future agenda items possibly vote

STAFF BRIEFINGS

11. Staff to provide update about attendance

ADJOURNMENT

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