REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSION ON VETERANS AFFAIRS
On Wednesday November 18, 2026 at 7pm
City of Austin Permitting & Development Center
6310 Wilhelmina Delco Dr., Room 1401/1402
Austin, TX 78752

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CURRENT COMMISSIONERS:

Michael Mcinerney – Chair
Jose Reyes – Vice Chair
William Dahlstrom
Armando Gonzales
Bryce Laake-Stanfield
Anita Roberts
Christopher Wilson
Lucas Castillo
Fansu Ku
Amber Cress
Neal Wendt

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Commission on Veterans Affairs Regular Meeting of Oct 21, 2026.

DISCUSSION ITEM

2. Presentation and discussion by Rob Bergquist, Founder & Director | Cell Phones for Soldiers on the services they offer.

3. Discussion on 2026 City of Austin parade recap.

4. Discussion on budget working group and annual planning session.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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