

**DELAWARE COMMISSION OF VETERANS AFFAIRS
MEETING MINUTES
MARCH 24, 2009**

Members Present: Lardizzone, Thompson, Carroll, Evans, Harden, Smith, Spitzfaden, Timberman and Wasson

Members Excused: Corsa, Kitson, Lank and Newstadt

Staff Present: Davila and Reid

Guests: Al Carter and James Collins (SOS), Bill McMullen (AF Sergeants Association), Ed Moczulski (LP Lo-DEL), Eugene Hebert (MOWW), Mo Morris (American Legion), David Rich (DOL), and Ron Sarg (MOAA)

The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to our Nation's Flag.

Chairman Lardizzone opened the meeting by introducing the guests.

Mr. McMullen reported that the Division II Convention is April 24-27, 2009, at the Sheraton in Dover.

Mr. Collins, who will be replacing Mr. Carter, introduced himself.

Mr. Moczulski reported that he will be out for knee surgery next month and is unsure of his return date.

Mr. Hebert reported that they will be having a Chapter meeting on April 21, 2009.

Mr. Sarg thanked everyone who supported their fundraiser in February and reported that there is over \$13,000 in their scholarship account.

Mr. Reid provided the Delaware Veterans Home Monthly Update and briefed the Commission. Discussion followed.

Mr. Rich briefed on the progress of the upcoming Delaware Stand Down/Veterans Employment Expo planned for October 2009.

Commissioner Harden made a correction to the February minutes.

MOTION BY CARROLL TO ACCEPT FEBRUARY COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES AS CORRECTED, SECONDED BY LARDIZZONE, MOTION CARRIED.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

CEMETERY COMMITTEE

Commissioner Harden reported that the Northern Family Advisory Cemetery Committee (FACC) is scheduled to meet on April 16, 2009.

