



Commission for Veterans and the Prince George's County Office of Veterans Affairs



1301 McCormick Drive, Largo MD



Meeting Minutes

Monday, November 3, 2025

1900 Hours/7:00pm – 2000 Hours/8:00pm

Prince George's County Commission for Veterans Affairs

November 2025 Meeting Minutes

Submitted by: Vice Chair LaShonda C. Henderson

Opening: The monthly meeting was called to order by Vice Chair LaShonda Henderson at 7:04 p.m. Commissioners in attendance were Henry Harris, Glynn Parker, Greg Jackson, and LaShonda Henderson. The Office of Veterans Affairs (OVA) was represented by Director George.

Commission Opening

Commissioner Henderson opened the meeting with the acknowledgement of Veterans Day and the open agenda to support organizing for this effort.

1. Opening & Announcements

- The session opened with the announcement of an Open Agenda and acknowledgment of Veterans Day.
- Attendees were reminded of the importance of recognizing and supporting veterans throughout the county.

2. Director of OVA Update

- The Director of the Office of Veterans Affairs (OVA) provided details on the County Veterans Day program.
- Shared the run of show for the event and the expected impact on the veteran community.
- Communicated support needs from attendees and stakeholders to ensure successful execution.

3. Veteran Programs Announcements

- Overview of various veteran programs happening across the county.
- Discussion of Commissioners' support for these programs.
- Each commissioner provided a brief report highlighting programs they would champion or support.

4. Community Engagement

- Volunteers participated in the session to support OVA initiatives.
- Assignments were distributed during the meeting to ensure coordinated community involvement in Veterans Day and other county programs.
- Volunteers committed to follow-up actions to assist in program execution and outreach.

5. Leadership Transition

- Vice Chair Henderson turned the meeting over to Chair Jackson.

6. Recap & Direction

- A recap of the session emphasized alignment with the direction and support needed for OVA.
- Chair Jackson reinforced full support for veterans, advocating an "all hands on deck" approach to ensure veterans feel seen and heard.

7. Closing Remarks

- Continued encouragement for collaboration across departments and stakeholders to support veterans initiatives throughout the county.

Action Items / Follow-Up:

- Ensure all departments and stakeholders are aligned with OVA support needs for Veterans Day programs.
- Commissioners to continue active engagement in veteran programs countywide.
- Volunteers to follow through on assigned tasks and provide updates on progress.
- OVA to provide ongoing updates on program progress and impact metrics.

Adjournment: 8:06 p.m.