

VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE
TOWN OF MADISON
Sept 16, 2024
Meeting Minutes

Committee Members Present: Schilling, Lowry, Harris(alternate)
Not in Attendance (excused): Force, Sweet

Others present: Aysia Morency; Videographer

Where and When Posted: Notice was posted in the Town Office upper and lower levels and in the Madison and Silver Lake Post Offices

Meeting Called to Order: 5:11 PM by Schilling, Harris led the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call/Elevation of Alternates: Members present did not represent a quorum, Harris elevated on a motion by Lowry, 2nd by Schilling.

Approval of Draft Minutes: Minutes of the July 15th meeting were reviewed by the committee but approval put off until October meeting due to only 2 members being present to vote who were at the July meeting.

Public Comments: None

New Business:

- a) Veterans Credit Warrant Article: after short discussion Lowry motioned and Harris seconded to pursue a Warrant Article to move any remaining budget line money from the Veterans budget line into the Veterans Monument/Memorial Trust fund annually. Passed unanimously.

Old Business:

- a) Veterans Monument: Lowry checked in with Mike Brooks who stated the stone was removed and it is somewhere in Vermont being resurfaced and the names being etched. It will hopefully be returned in time for Veterans Day.
- b) Veterans Tax credit: Nothing to report as Sweet not at this meeting. Will check back with him before next meeting.
- c) Table at Transfer Station: Nothing to report as Sweet and Force not at the meeting.

Administration: Lowry attended the Selectmens meeting on July 22nd to discuss the status of the Veterans Advisory Committee (the Monument committee). After discussion, the Selectmen decided the Veterans Advisory committee is no longer needed and voted to dissolve it.

Adjournment and Next Meeting: There being no further business, Harris motioned and Lowry seconded the motion to adjourn. The committee adjourned at 6:00 PM with the next meeting being scheduled for October 21, 2024 at 5PM.

Minutes created by S. Schilling