

**City of Milpitas
Veterans Commission Meeting
Agenda**

Wednesday, Feb 1, 2023

5:30 p.m.

**Barbara Lee Senior Center, 40 N Milpitas Blvd Milpitas
Room 140/141**



I. Call to Order

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

IV. Seating of Alternates

V. Approval of Agenda: February 1, 2023

VI. Approval of Minutes: October 5, 2022

VII. Public Forum

Those interested are invited to address the Commission on any subject not on the agenda. Speakers may provide their name and city of residence for the record, and comments may be limited to one minute, or less. As an item not listed on the agenda, no response is required of the Commission or staff. However, Commission members may request staff to add the item to a future meeting agenda. This public meeting will be led with professionalism, respect and civility, so profanity and/or vulgar language will not be allowed.

VIII. Announcements/Correspondence

IX. Business Items

a. Election of Officers 2023

Background: As per the Veterans Commission By-Laws nominations for a Chair and Vice-Chair will be annually selected at the first meeting of the calendar year.

Recommendation: Receive nominations and vote for a Chair and Vice-Chair to serve for a term determined by the Veterans Commission By-Laws.

b. Veterans Outreach

Background: Staff maintains a list of Veterans in Milpitas. According to the 2020 census there are approximately 2,500 Veterans residing in Milpitas. Staff would like input and ways of growing the list to reach out to the Veterans in Milpitas to invite them to events and provide information to them.

Recommendation: Discuss ways to grow the list of Veterans in Milpitas.

c. Veterans Day Ceremony and Veterans Resource Fair/Luncheon

Background: The Veterans Day Ceremony was held on November 11, 2022 and the Resource Fair and Luncheon was held on November 19, 2022. Discuss what went well, and provide suggestions for future events.

Recommendation: Review the events.

Liaison Reports

- City Council
- Staff Report

Future Agenda Items

Honoring Milpitas Veterans Project

Adjournment

Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 6, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.

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