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Members: Skip Sarnelli, Dennis Praino, Julio Roderick, Paul Giegle, Ilene Klaver, Joseph Fitman

10/11/2019

Guests: Jean Sarnelli

Roll Call - Quorum met

Pledge of Allegiance

Motion to review and accept minutes from the previous meeting made by Julio Roderick, seconded by Dennis Praino. Minutes reviewed and unanimously accepted.

Reports:

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Skip Sarnelli:

The observance of Veterans Day will entail a Veteran's Day ceremony, with a possible Color Guard from Massachusetts Maritime Academy, and possible keynote speakers. Mrs. Susan Gifford will be in attendance, as well as Paul Barnett, but that is still tentative.

Furthermore, the JROTC unit has presented the council with a selection for the additional member, Evan D'oimpia.

As a show of support to the SeaBees for their assistance in funding the Moving Wall, we are trying to reimburse them for the \$1,000 they donated. Have to talk with The Friends in order to secure it.

Lastly, Skip Sarnelli and Julio Roderick will meet with Selectmen Slavin and Mr. Powilitas in order to try and settle the differences and work in harmony with each other.

Paul Giegle:

Finally received the \$103.00 reimbursement for the commemorative plaque for the Vietnam Moving Wall. He will also support the Veterans Day Ceremony by providing the food supplies needed.

Julio Roderick:

There is a fish fry tomorrow, 9/28/2018, from 1800-2000 at the VFW to raise funds for the respective

Dennis Praino:

Will take care of the Prisoners of War Flag and lack of functioning lights that are on the property of the town hall.

Joseph Fitman:

With new support from the council and surrounding organizations, we will attempt to move forward with the Veterans Transportation Plan, which will shuttle veterans from Plymouth to New Bedford to Roxbury.

New Business:

Discussing the possible move to the Wareham VFW. The notion was brought to the floor and discussed, but not voted on yet. This idea has been tabled for further discussion until the next meeting.

Motion to adjourn made by Julio Roderick and seconded by Joseph Fitman. Motion carries unanimously at 2013.

Next meeting 10/11/2018 at 7:00pm, located at the Wareham Tewn Hall.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Joseph Fitman, Council Clerk.

Joseph Fitman