WARRINGTON TOWNSHIP
VETERAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
MEETING MINUTES
APRIL 29, 2019

PRESENT: Joan Klein
Ollie Groman
Chris Patton
Chris Roth
Peter Scott
Jeanine Winslow
Shirley Yannich

NOT PRESENT: Dave Houpt

EXCUSED ABSENCE: Andy Bracy

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The March 25, 2019 meeting minutes were approved; first motion, Peter Scott; second motion Chris Patton.

OLD B USINESS:

<u>Article J: Veterans Affairs Committee:</u>

Shirley Yannich advised that the Committee Establishment and Purpose was approved by Ordinance #2019-O-07 on April 23, 2019 (Attachment A).

<u>Daniel P. Bradley, Jr. Memorial Stone:</u>

Chris Roth shared his drawing of what he envisions for the monument (rocket with 3 fins and 3 plaques 20" x 30" (Attachment B). ***Chris Roth*** said we could go with four fins and the VAC agreed. ***Ollie Groman*** asked Chris Roth to research the rocket and wall materials. ***Shirley Yannich*** said that since this is a structure overall, that she would take this to the Planning Commission engineer to review.

Memorial Day Ceremony:

Jeanine Winslow advised that she received confirmation that Senator Maria Collett would speak on her thoughts of Memorial Day. We are waiting for confirmation from Congressman Brian Fitzpatrick's office. ***Ollie Groman*** will memorialize Honorary VAC Member Bill Grun at the beginning of the ceremony. ***Jeanine Winslow*** advised that a photo of Bill Grun is on the program. Mission BBQ will be bring 60 sliders, a side dish and will bring their Humvee, Bam Bam. We will ask Sal's Pizza for pizza donations, purchase mini soft pretzels from Jim's in Warminster and patriotic donut holes from Yum Yum in Warminster. The wreath was ordered from Angel Rose. ***Peter Scott*** will make sure that Scout Troop 172 will be uniformly dressed.

NEW BUSINESS:

First Helping Hands Endeavor:

Chris Roth advised that a resident called him at work who knew that he was a member of the VAC as Chris spoke to them about adding their father to the Memorial Wall. She said that her father (Navy Veteran) has not left the house since his wife of 58 years passed away on April 1, 2019. Chris visited her father and got him out of the house and they had a 3-hour conversation and he would like Chris to come back for more visits. ***Chris*** told him that he would stop back the following week.

QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, CONCERNS:

Next VAC Meeting: Monday, May 20, 2019 for last minute review of the ceremony.

ADJOURNMENT: 6:08 p.; first motion, Peter Scott; second motion, Joan Klein