



**VETERANS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION
OF
LIVINGSTON COUNTY**
"VETERANS HELPING VETERANS"

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**LIVINGSTON COUNTY BOARD
VETERANS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION
MINUTES OF THE Nov 4th, 2013 MEETING**

Chairman Joe Steichen called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. at the Historic court House.

Board Members Present: Chairman Joe Steichen, Vice Chairman, Earl Rients, and John Yoder

Others Present: Supt. Bailey, June Slagel, Mark Runyon, and County Board Chairman Marty Fannin

AGENDA: motion to accept by, John Yoder seconded by Joe Steichen. *MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL AYES.*

MINUTES: Minutes of last month were presented, and a motion by John Yoder, seconded by Joe Steichen. *MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL AYES.*

MONTHLY REPORT: The monthly report was given and a motion from Earl Rients er was made to accept the report, seconded by, John Yoder. *MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL AYES.*

BUDGET: Supt. Bailey had a voucher signed to repay the \$60,000 to the county.

OTHER BUSINESS: Tom Bailey explained that there is a Veteran in need of assistance because he was hit by a Van and is out of work. Tom stated that he has contacted the Dwight V.F.W. for support, and hopes to work with them and the Department of Illinois V.F.W. to try to get this veteran help from a special fund, called unmet needs. Tom also stated he will try to help this veterans as best as he can through the V.A.C. Earl Rients had a question about the Cable bill, and why there is a T.V. in the office. No action was taken. Earl Rients also sent an e-mail to the committee explaining he has a complaint that the Supt. refused to take a veterans to an appointment, Tom showed proof that this veterans was not refused, but showed he has been transported many times in the past few months. Supt Bailey explained that he has helped a Veteran through the emergency fund, because they were going to be evicted next day, I called the Committee Chairman, Joe Steichen because of the amount it would take to keep them in their rented home. This help will take them through November. Both adults in this home have found jobs and should be back on their feet by Dec, or Jan.

VIEW AND APPROVAL OF BILLS: Motion made by John Yoder seconded by Earl Rients to approve all bills presented. *MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL AYES*

There being no further business to come before the committee, a motion by, John Yoder seconded by Earl Rients to adjourn. *MOTION CARRIED WITH ALL AYES*, meeting adjourned at 4:52P.M. The next meeting will be Dec 2nd at 4:00 at the Historic Court House.

Recorded by Thomas Bailey _____