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# Administrative Committee On Veterans Affairs

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MINUTES OF THE JULY 23, 1989, MEETING OF THE  
NORTH DAKOTA ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE  
ON VETERANS AFFAIRS

LOCATION--CAMP GRAFTON, DEVILS LAKE, NORTH DAKOTA  
CONVENED AT 1:00 P.M.

Meeting held in National Guard Army, Camp Grafton, Devils Lake, North Dakota.

Chairman Bernard Wagner called meeting to order at 1:00 p.m. and opened with Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was held. Terry Richardson, James Swenson, James Ziegler and William Haug absent. Commissioner of Veterans Affairs Milton Kane and Assistant Commandant of Veterans Home, Wayne Terry were present. Also in attendance, Dennis Mock of Job Service and Joe Novak from Committee doing research on Veterans Nursing Home in Dickinson.

Chairman Wagner introduced Major Aukland and CSM Arso of the National Guard. They gave a brief review of what is taking place at Camp Grafton. Training is being provided for NCO and Officer Candidates from 17 states for the National Guard plus active duty personnel.

Minutes of April 12 & 13, 1989, meeting read and approved.

Chairman Wagner reported that Veterans representatives did present their organizations colors at the Capitol on July 4th.

Chairman Wagner welcomed new members to Committee, Suzanne Kime, American Legion; and Arthur Streed, VFW. Chairman Wagner stated the Subcommittees would remain the same with Suzanne Kime replacing American Legion representative on Veterans Affairs Subcommittee and Arthur Streed replacing VFW representative on Veterans Home Subcommittee.

Meeting recessed at 1:55 p.m. so Subcommittees could meet. William Haug arrived and joined his Subcommittee.

Meeting reconvened at 4:00 p.m. Chairman introduced Donald Colston, VA Center Director.

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RICHARD STATES, CHR  
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Subcommittee Chairman of Veterans Home Godke reported on their meeting. Godke moved that Commandant James Welder's report on settlement of Vernal Buffington estate be approved. Second by Haug and carried.

Dick States moved that Veterans Home Subcommittee report be accepted. Second by Ken Evenson and carried.

Richard States reported on Veterans Affairs meeting. States moved that \$15,000.00 of interest money from Trust Fund be appropriated, one time, for the gathering of data necessary to determine and document future needs of Veterans in North Dakota. Second by Kime and carried.

Vandrovec moved to accept Veterans Affairs report. Second by Liuska, carried.

Chairman Wagner stated date and place of next meeting to remain open, subject to business needing action of Committee.

Moved by Vandrovec to adjourn. Second by Evenson, carried.

Submitted by  
Paul S. Aaberg, Secretary

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