



LIVINGSTON COUNTY VETERAN COMMITTEE AGENDA

July 16, 2025, 5:00 p.m.
Veteran Services Office
1420 Lawson Drive, Howell, MI 48843

Pages

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Approval of Minutes and Agenda**
5. **Call to the Public**
6. **Applications for Relief**
7. **Business**

7.1 2026 Department Budget

Discussion and review of proposed Livingston County Veteran Services (LCVS) 2026 budget to maintain LCVS operations.

Recommended Motion: Motion to approve fiscal year 2026 LCVS department budget.

7.2 2026 Mill Rate

Discussion to determine Livingston County Veteran Services (LCVS) 2026 mill rate to maintain LCVS operations.

Recommended Motion: Motion to approve mill rate of .0918 to maintain Veteran Service operations for fiscal year 2026.

7.3 2025 MERS Additional Payment

Discussion to determine amount for additional payment to MERS for Veterans non-union division.

Recommended motion: Motion to approve (amount) for an additional contribution to MERS for Veterans non-union division.

8. Director Reports

In June, LCVS Veteran Assistance Programs (VAP) provided the following:

Emergency Relief Fund: Six (6) applications for a total of \$6,000.

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- Six (6) applications provided burial benefits for a total of \$6,000.
- Of note, LCVS has approved sixty-one (61) VAP applications this year, for a total of \$48,034.75.

Transportation: Provided 196 rides to medical appointments, a total fare value of \$1,647.

- Of note, LCVS has provided 1,098 rides this year, a total fare value of \$9,831.

9. Committee Discussion

10. Adjournment

LIVINGSTON COUNTY VETERAN SERVICES COMMITTEE

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES



June 26, 2025, 5:00 p.m.
Veteran Services Office
1420 Lawson Drive, Howell, MI 48843

Members Present Kevin Nagle, Joe Riker, James Wallace

Members Absent Bruce Hundley, Robert Stants

Staff Present Ramon Baca, Elizabeth Young

1. Call Meeting to Order

Committee Chair J. Riker called the meeting to order at 5:02 p.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag

All rose for the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

3. Roll Call

4. Consent Agenda

Motion to approve consent agenda.

Moved by J. Wallace

Seconded by K. Nagle

Yes (3): K. Nagle, J. Riker, and J. Wallace

Motion Carried (3 to 0)

5. Call to the Public

None.

6. Applications for Relief

6.1 06.26.2025-FY25-VAP-001

Motion to approve 06.26.2025-FY25-VAP-001 with Bigfoot Pro Services in the amount of \$5,380.

Moved by J. Wallace

Seconded by K. Nagle

Yes (3): K. Nagle, J. Riker, and J. Wallace

Motion Carried (3 to 0)

7. Business

None.

8. Director Reports

None.

9. Committee Discussion

None.

10. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn at 5:08 p.m.

Moved by J. Wallace

Seconded by K. Nagle

Yes (3): K. Nagle, J. Riker, and J. Wallace

Motion Carried (3 to 0)

Elizabeth J. Young, Recorder

UNAPPROVED MINUTES

Livingston County Veteran Services

June 2025 Summary

APPOINTMENT SUMMARY

Appointment Type	June	YTD
Claims: Death Benefits	9	80
Claims: Non-Service Connected Pension	-	9
Claims: Survivors Pension	3	24
Claims: Service Connected Compensation	96	743
Other	21	115
VAP - Soldiers/Sailors Relief Fund	5	37
Total Appointments	134	1,008

Walk In Summary		
Month	Total	Weekly Average
January	221	55
February	212	53
March	234	56
April	273	68
May	213	53
June	187	47
July		
August		
September		
October		
November		
December		
2025 Total	1,340	

TRANSPORTATION SUMMARY

Monthly Transportation Summary		
Transportation Summary	June	YTD
Transportation Rides Provided	196	1,098

Livingston County Veteran Services
2025 YTD Veteran Assistance Programs (VAP) Summary

Food Vouchers Program Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	1	0	1	\$ 182.81
February	2	2	4	\$ 738.58
March	1	4	5	\$ 249.72
April	0	0	0	\$ -
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	4	6	10	\$ 1,171.11

Gleaners Program Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	0	0	\$ -
February	0	0	0	\$ -
March	0	0	0	\$ -
April	0	0	0	\$ -
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	0	0	0	\$ -

Clothing Vouchers Program Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	0	0	\$ -
February	0	0	0	\$ -
March	0	0	0	\$ -
April	0	2	2	\$ 397.02
May	0	1	1	\$ 194.22
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	1	1	\$ 193.12
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	0	4	4	\$ 784.36

VINA Dental Program Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	1	0	1	\$ 10.00
February	2	0	2	\$ 210.00
March	1	0	1	\$ 10.00
April	3	0	3	\$ 605.00
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	7	0	7	\$ 835.00

**Livingston County Veteran Services
2025 YTD Veteran Assistance Programs (VAP) Summary**

Burial Benefit Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	5	5	\$ 5,000.00
February	0	10	10	\$ 9,795.00
March	0	4	4	\$ 4,000.00
April	0	8	8	\$ 7,711.00
May	0	5	5	\$ 4,300.00
June	0	6	6	\$ 6,000.00
July	0	3	3	\$ 3,000.00
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	0	41	41	\$ 39,806.00

Flag Box Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veteran	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	9	9	\$ 403.11
February	0	8	8	\$ 358.32
March	0	7	7	\$ 313.53
April	0	7	7	\$ 313.53
May	0	6	6	\$ 268.74
June	0	5	5	\$ 223.95
July	0	4	4	\$ 179.16
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	0	46	46	\$ 2,060.34

ER Shelter Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	1	0	1	\$ 900.00
February	0	0	0	\$ -
March	0	0	0	\$ -
April	0	0	0	\$ -
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	1	0	1	\$ 900.00

VAP: Utilities/All Other Summary - Fund 295				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	2	2	4	\$ 2,245.15
February	1	8	9	\$ 1,500.00
March	2	2	4	\$ 780.74
April	1	0	1	\$ 2,486.91
May	1	0	1	\$ 718.60
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	7	12	19	\$ 7,731.40

**Livingston County Veteran Services
2025 YTD Veteran Assistance Programs (VAP) Summary**

Fund 233 - LCVS Relief				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	0	0	\$ -
February	0	0	0	\$ -
March	0	0	0	\$ -
April	0	0	0	\$ -
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	1	1	2	\$ 840.00
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	1	1	2	\$ 840.00

Michigan Veteran Trust Fund - LCVS Applicants				
Month	Veterans	Dependents	Total Reach	Cost
January	0	0	0	\$ -
February	0	0	0	\$ -
March	0	0	0	\$ -
April	0	0	0	\$ -
May	0	0	0	\$ -
June	0	0	0	\$ -
July	0	0	0	\$ -
August	0	0	0	\$ -
September	0	0	0	\$ -
October	0	0	0	\$ -
November	0	0	0	\$ -
December	0	0	0	\$ -
Program Totals	0	0	0	\$ -

Veteran Assistance Program Totals	
Fund 295 - LCVS	\$ 51,227.87
Fund 233 - LCVS	\$ 840.00
MVTF Total Assistance	\$ -
2025 Total Program Reach	130
2025 Total Assistance Provided	\$ 52,067.87

Fund 295 Balance Summary

Fund Balance as of July 7, 2025	\$ 1,912,584.16
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Quarter	2025 Expenses
Q1	\$ 251,777.00
Q2	\$ 219,726.27
Q3	\$ -
Q4	\$ -
Total	\$ 471,503.27

Fund 233 Balance Summary

Fund Balance as of July 7, 2025	\$ 5,306.98
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Item	2025 Expenses	Description
Q1	\$ -	
Q2	\$ 840.00	ER Shelter
Q3	\$ -	
Q4	\$ -	
Total	\$ 840.00	