

# SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

## MEETING

14 November 2024

1. Opening  
Called to order by Chairman Corey Moen just after 1300 hours with a flag salute and Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll call
  - a. Secretary is absent, Mamie Havelka will take minutes for this meeting
  - b. Members present: Chairman Corey Moen,  
NDAL: Don Herrly, Mamie Havelka, Ken Wiederholt  
DAV: Doug Benjamin, Eldred Knutson, Joe Hall  
VVA: Russel Stabler  
AMVETS: Jim Nelson  
VFW: Bill Tuff  
All phone numbers of those present were verified and accurate
3. Minutes - There were no minutes of the last meeting as no one took them
4. Treasure Report – As of 31 October 2024: \$7,974.68 – given by Bill Tuff, motion to acknowledge by Don Herrly, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Russ Stabler, approved by all
5. Old Business – All dues are due again. \$150.00 and we are late.  
In the past dues were \$300 every other year, now it is \$150 per year  
Make payable to: ND Veterans Legislative Council  
526 2<sup>nd</sup> St Ct  
West Fargo ND 58078

The cycle for Chairperson is: AL, AMVET, DAV, VFW, AND VVA

We are now VFW(?)

6. New Business:  
Representative to the Caucus – Lonnie Wangen  
Legislative Representative – Jim Nelson  
Military Caucus – mixture of veterans and civilians  
TENTATIVE proposed meeting – 10 December 2024 at the Capitol (?) TBD  
  
Went over all proposed bills with Lonnie Wangen.

POSSIBLE LEGISLATIVE ITEMS 2020 Dated 10/08/2024

1. Appreciation of Veterans and Military: a. – f. Support
2. Budget: N/A
3. Burial & Memorial: a. – e. Support
4. Education: a. – b. Support
5. Employment/Entrepreneur: a. & b. Support
6. Financial: a. & b. Support, c. NO support
7. Health and Wellbeing: a. & b. Support
8. Housing: none to date
9. Law/Policy Change: a. – d. Support
10. Legal Services: Taken care of, but support
11. Military Bases: Support
12. National Guard Specific: Support
13. Services and Outreach, 14. Studies, 15. ARPA or other funding: Nothing so far.
7. Good of the Order: Around the room with no response
8. Closing:  
Flag salute at approximately 1600 hours

Respectfully submitted by temporary Secretary,  
Mamie Havelka, Commander  
ND American Legion