

Regular Meeting of the Veterans Advisory Board
March 18, 2025 at 5:00 PM
Monica Roybal Center
737 Agua Fria Street, Santa Fe
MINUTES

1. Call to Order

The Regular Meeting of the Veterans Advisory Board was called to order by Jim Williams at 5:00 PM, on Tuesday, March 18, 2025, at 737 Agua Fria Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

2. Roll Call

MEMBERS PRESENT

Gary Donato
Stephen Kapin
Anna Vigil
Tim Karo
James Colonel Williams
Larry Hinkle
Elizabeth "Liz" Rickert

MEMBERS EXCUSED

OTHER PARTICIPANTS ATTENDING

Daniel Lopez, Jr., Equity and ADA Manager

3. Approval of Agenda

MOTION A motion was made by Colonel Williams, seconded by Donato, to Approve.

VOTE The motion Passed on a voice vote.

4. Approval of Minutes

5. Public Comment

6. New Business

- a. Introduction of new VAB Member (Chairperson James Williams)

No Action Taken

- b. Discussion with Cabinet Secretary Herrera on DVS Plans and Challenges for 2025

No Action Taken

- c. Status Update on Legislation of Interest to Veterans in current session (Vice Chair Gary Donato and Councilor Jamie A. Cassutt)

No Action Taken

d. Board Membership (Chairperson James Williams)

No Action Taken

e. Plans for Vietnam Veterans Day (Chairperson James Williams)

No Action Taken

7. Old Business

a. Update on Navigators Contract (Chairperson James Williams)

No Action Taken

8. Presentations

9. Matters from the Committee

10. Matters from Staff

11. Next Meeting:

a. Tuesday - April 15, 2025 from 5-7PM

12. Adjourn

6:30PM

Attested To By:

Chair

Respectfully Submitted by:

Liaison