

# *Township of Egg Harbor*

## Veterans Advisory Board

Cardiff VFW Post 8098  
3029 Spruce Avenue, EHT

March 25, 2013

### **MINUTES**

Liaison Member Hodson called the Meeting to Order.

Liaison Member Hodson read the Opening Statement pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act.

Liaison Member Hodson led the Pledge of Allegiance and members held a moment of silence for the departed.

Roll Call:     *Robert Dodson – Absent, excused*  
                  William Hegarty- Present  
                  Paul Hodson – Present  
                  Douglas Lundberg, Jr. – Present  
                  *Pat Moschetto – Absent*  
                  Dan Clayton – Present  
                  *Mike Ebert – Absent, Excused (email)*  
                  John Rush – Present

### **APPROVALS**

#### **§ Minutes of February 25, 2013**

Read and approved.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **§ Veterans Affordable Housing**

Member Hodson advised board members that a housing project is being considered by the Township Committee and the Planning Board for affordable housing of veterans. The site earmarked is Cottonwood and West Jersey Avenues in the Cardiff section of the Township. Anyone who wishes to attend the meetings, they are scheduled for Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 4:00 p.m. at Town Hall.

#### **§ Boy Scouts Troop #177**

Member Lundberg advised the board that the 177<sup>th</sup> are looking for a new home to meet. It seems that their new home will be in Linwood. Since they will no longer meet in the Township, they would like permission from the board to continue to be a part of our parade and to continue beautification projects at Veterans Park. This is especially important to them not just because of continuing past efforts, but many of the children had further plans for the park to help with their badges and Eagle status. All members present agreed the boys scouts are welcome to continue participating in EHT.

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**OLD BUSINESS**

**⚔ Memorial Day Parade**

In order to accommodate the larger crowds we are experiencing each year, memorial services will be held facing the library. This will address the safety concerns that have come up.

Member Rush has confirmed that Atlantic County Veterans Service Officer Robert Frolow along with Tom Vesper will speak at the service. Member Lundberg is working on a third speaker.

Also, Member Lundberg will contact bag pipers and send an invitation to Egg Harbor Township High School Band to march in our parade.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Next meeting scheduled for Monday, April 22, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. at the VFW.

Motion Hodson second Rush to adjourn the meeting. Vote: all present voted, yes.

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John Rush, Member  
Secretary