

Minutes from the Department Education & Employment Committee Meeting

Chairman Gerald Merrell called the meeting to order at 11:00 am on Friday September 22nd at the Ambassador Room Holiday Inn Muskegon, MI.

Committee members present: Chairman Gerald Merrell, Rick Donovan

Guests: Joe McClellan 18th dist. Clive Seydell SAL 2nd district commander, Gene Anderson from Department of Indiana Operation Job Ready Veterans, Adjutant Ron Runyan, ALT NEC John Knox, NEC Raymond Moore and Leading Candidate for National Commander Brett Reistad.

Old Business: None

Chairman Gerald Merrell appointed Rick Donovan as Vice Chairman, and Gerald Merrell will assume secretary duties.

Budget and minutes from the June 22nd Committee meeting were approved.

New Business: Gene Anderson discussed the success of Operation Job Ready Veterans, and how this program would benefit Michigan Veterans. Committee is committed to supporting this, and Adjutant Runyan said department could host the event.

Chairman Gerald Merrell discussed the 9 Employment awards, and encouraged members to send in names.

Rick Donovan presented a Draft resolution to support legislation and accountability for agencies receiving federal funding / priority of service.

This will be reviewed and presented at the Next meeting.

No other business to come before the committee

Meeting adjourned at 12:00pm

Submitted
Gerald Merrell

Chairman Education & Employment Committee

