



**2016-2017 COUNCIL MEMBERS**

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**American Red Cross**  
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**National Assoc. for Black Veterans**  
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William May

**Wisconsin Vietnam Veterans**  
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**NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE  
COUNCIL ON VETERANS PROGRAMS**

**October 20, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.**  
**Wisconsin Veterans Home at Union Grove**  
**21425 G Spring Street**  
**Union Grove, WI 53182**

Please take notice that the Council on Veterans Programs (COVP) will conduct a meeting on **October 20, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at the above-noticed location.**

**The Council may hear briefings, hold discussion, and take action on any item on this agenda.**

**Agenda**

1. Call to order (silence cell phones), roll call
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Certification of notice of meeting
4. Action on July 20, 2016 meeting minutes
5. WDVA Strategic Plan update
6. ACT 386 Status Update
7. Suicide Prevention Initiatives
8. Advertising of Veterans Benefits
9. Transportation issues
10. King audit
11. Future CVSO structure changes
12. 2015-2016 AB 467
13. Proposed Revision of Veterans and Surviving Spouses Property Tax Credit
14. Proposed Expansion of WI G.I. Bill
15. Legislative committee update
16. Secretary's comments
17. Council members' matters not subject to adoption
18. Public input, limited to 3 minutes per guest
19. Future meetings
20. Adjournment