## TWB VETERANS ORGANIZATION MEETING TSAILE/WHEATFIELDS CHAPTER October 13, 2015

#### **AGENDA**

#### I. OPENING OF MEETING

- a. Meeting Call To Order
- b. Invocation
- c. Roll Call

David Tsosie, Andrick Bahe, Willis Becenti, Roy Anagal, David Kedelty

- d. Review/ Accept Agenda
- e. Review/ Accept Last Meeting Minutes of July8,2014
- f. Announcements
  - 1. Chapter Meeting 10-19-15 @ 3PM
  - 2. CNVO Meeting 11-6-15 @ 9 AM Chinle Chapter.
  - 3. Oct. 16, 2015 @ 10 am, Chuska Regional Council Meeting, Wheatfields Chapter
  - 4. Oct. 19, 2015 @3pm, Chapter Meeting, Wheatfields Chapter,

#### II. REPORTS

- a. David Tsosie
- b. Andrick Bahe
- c. Willis Becenti
- d. Roy Anagal
- e. David Kedelty

#### III. BUSINESS ITEMS

- a. Approving the Tsaile/ Wheatfields/ Blackrock Veterans Organization Officers and the plan of Operation.
- b. Approving and accepting the Tsaile/ Wheatfields Chapter FY'2016 Veterans Fiduciary Funds in the amount of \$34,175.00 in the budget line item.
- c. Requesting Veteran Financial Assistance from veterans Permanent Trust Funds.
  - 1. David Tsosie \$300.00 for Propane / \$300.00 for Firewood.
  - 2. Gilbert M. Nez \$300.00 for utility/\$300 for Food.
  - 3. Leonard Teller \$300.00 for firewood / \$300.00 for food.
  - 4. Alton Begay \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Wood.
  - 5. Roy Anagal \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood
  - 6. Ernest Yazzie \$300.00 for Food.
  - 7. Max Benally \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood.
  - 8. Calvin Halwood \$300.00 for Food.
  - 9. David Kedelty \$300.00 for Firewood.
  - 10. Billy Francis Sr. \$300.00 for Food/ Billy Francis Sr. \$300.00 for Wood.
  - 11. Frank Billy\$300.00 for food.
  - 12. George James Sr. \$300.00 for Food/\$300.00 for Firewood.
  - 13. Danon Jim \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood.
  - 14. Irving D, Chee \$300.00 for Food.
  - 15. Jonathan McClanahan \$300.00 for Firewood/ \$300.00 for Food.

- 16. William Begay \$300.00 for Firewood/ \$300.00 for Food.
- 17. Ramon Slick \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood
- 18. Francis R. Spencer \$300.00 for Firewood/ \$300.00 for Food.
- 19. Willis T. Becenti \$300.00 for Firewood/ \$300.00 for Food.
- 20. Dorothy Joe Edison \$300.00 for Firewood/ \$300.00 for food.
- 21. Julia M. Yazzie \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood.
- 22. Larry Deschine \$300.00 for Firewood.
- 23. Melvin W. Gatewood \$300.00 for Food/ \$300.00 for Firewood.
- b. Requesting Veterans Financial Assistance from chapter veterans Funds 1. NO FUNDS AVAILABLE.
- e. Requesting \$700.00 from the Trust Fund for Veterans / thanksgiving Dinner.
- f. Requesting \$700.00 from the Trust Fund for Christmas Dinner.
- g. Dine' College Veterans Festivities and color guard.

### IV. NEXT MEETING

Date & Time; November 10, 2015 @ 5pm.

#### V. ADJOURNMENT

# Tsaile/Wheatfeilds/Blackrock Veterans Organization Meeting Tsaile/Wheatfeilds Chapter October 13, 2015

- I. Opening of Meetings
  - a. Meeting called to order by. Commander Tsosie @ 5:15 PM
  - b. Invocation By; Irvin Chee
  - c. Roll call:
    - D. Tsosie, Present
    - A. Bahe, Absent
    - W. Becenti, Present
    - Roy Anagal, Present
    - David Kedelty, Present
  - d. Review and accept agenda. Motion Bymax Benally 2<sup>nd</sup> by David Kedelty Agenda Read by Commander Tsosie. No questions

Votes- 21-0-2

e. Review and accept last meeting minutes. Motion By Melvin Gatewood 2<sup>nd</sup> by Irvin Chee minutes read by Willis Becenti Sec./Treas.

Votes-20-0-1

- f. Announcements. Read by commander Tsosie. See Agenda
- II. Reports Motion by David Kedelty 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julia Yazzie
- a. David Tsosie; Good evening comrades ive been to 2 meetings first one was the Agency Council meeting in Blue Gap. There was no planning for veterans activities or there were a few people that I had not seen in a while. The meeting was good and Edsel Pete was there, he made a report about the Veterans Act, he said it was almost complete and ready for council to vote upon. I also went to the Veterans Legal seminar at CCC last week. It was for Veteran with legal problems and questions, there was not to many Veterans there. It was put on by DNA Legal Services and if you didn't make it there you can always go to any DNA office for help or questions. The other meeting I went to is the CNVO agency meeting at Chinle Chapter. We talked about the of operation nation wide and how to revise the problem. The money from the Trust Fund that we have to do our own budget and give it to the DNVA to implement.
  - b. Andrick Bahe ABSENT.
- c. Willis Becenti Good evening everyone it is good to see you all here. Tonight we have to approve our Officers, our line item budget and other things in order to start receiving our Trust Funds to be used by you Veterans. I went to the CNVO meeting only this month. We the Veterans are having a lot of problems with the Chapters in the Chinle Agency. The Chapters are writing the plan of operation for the Veteran Organization to follow. The problem seems to be the policy is designed to be in the control of the Chapter officials and the money allocated at the Chapter meeting not the Veterans meetings. We, the Tsaile Veterans Organization has a good system and plan of operation to work under with the Chapter and Chinle with the trust Fund. It all starts here at the Veterans meetings. Fill out your request forms but they won't be processed until the Chapter resolution is done and filed with DNVA office, so be at the Chapter meeting the 19<sup>th</sup> at @pm. Thank you.
- d. Roy Anagal; I have no report except that it is muddy at my place and my house has not been started yet. Thank you all for tonight.
  - e. David Kedelty I have no report.

Votes- 23-0-1

- III. Business Item. Motion by Ramon Slick 2<sup>nd</sup> by Irvin Chee
  - a. Requesting Financial Assistance from Veterans Permanent Trust Funds.

b. See Agenda Sheet for list

Veterans were split into 2 groups to vote for the other half's assistance Votes 1<sup>st</sup> group 15-0-1; Votes 2<sup>nd</sup> group 13-0-2

c. Requesting Financial Assistance from Chapter Supplemental Funds.

NO SUPPLEMENTAL FUNDS.

- e. Requesting \$700.00 from the Trust Fund for Veterans / thanksgiving dinners Motioned by Max Benally 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ramon Slick Votes 25-0-2.
- f. Requesting \$700.00 from the Trust fund for Christmas Dinner. Motioned by Roy Anagal 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julia Yazzie Votes 28-0-2
- g. Dine' College Veterans Festivities & color Guard; Ed Curtis from Dine' College is requesting the Tsaile Veterans to post colors and be the quests of the College on November 21, 2015 at 8 am. During that day he asked the veterans to talk about their experiences during their service years. Mr. Curtis works with the veterans to obtain their benefits and other scholarships we told him we would get back with him by the next meeting.

IV. NEXT MEETING

DATE & TIME November 10, 2015 @ 5pm V. ADJOURNMENT Motioned by Roy Anagal 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julia Yazzie Votes 30-0-2

Willis T. Becenti

Date /10-13-15