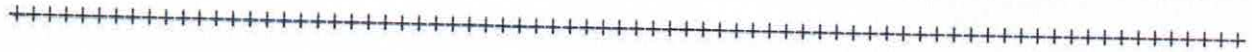




FOREST LAKE VETERANS ORGANIZATION

Commander: Dwayne Lake **Vice Commander:** Don Benally **Secretary:** Melvina Bizahalonie



Agenda

**Sunday March 15, 2026 @ 10am
Forest Lake Chapter**

1. **Call to order:**
2. **Roll call:**
 Commander Dwayne Lake
 Vice Commander Don Benally
 Secretary Melvina Bizahalonie
 Sgt at Arms Melvin Bitsui
3. **Invocation:**
4. **Pledge of Allegiance/Moment of Silence:**
5. **Review and Adopt Agenda:**
 Motion: _____ 2nd: _____
 Vote: Yes _____ No _____ Abs _____
6. **Read/Accept previous minutes:** February 08, 2026.
 Motion: _____ 2nd: _____
 Vote: Yes _____ No _____ Abs _____
7. **Reports:**
 - A. Commander Lake
 - B. Vice Commander Benally
 - C. Secretary Bizahalonie
 - D. Sgt at Arms Bitsui
8. **Old Business**
 - A. Resolution FLC-26-03-007 Approving the Recertification of the Forest Lake Chapter Veterans' Organization Officer./Passed.
 - B. Resolution FLC-26-03-008 Approving the Letterhead of the Forest Lake Chapter Veterans' Organization./Tabled.
 - C. Resolution FLC-26-003-009 States Recertification of FLVO Officers – Supposed to be approving the Plan of Operations of Forest Lake Chapter Veterans' Organization./Tabled.
 - D. Veterans' Trust Fund: updated by Paula Begay, VSO, 3/9/26
 Hardship: \$5,837.00
 Energy: \$625.00
 Stipend: \$1,350.00
 Self Help: \$0

Total: \$7,812.00
 - E. Public Notice Flyer of FLVO Veterans to be posted at various locations.



F. Easter Run – Betty Redhair.

9. **New Business:**

- A. Expenditure of the FLVO VTF.
- B. Presentation of gifts to 2023/2025 FLVO Officers.
- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____

10. **Announcements**

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

11. **Next Meeting:** April 12, 2026 @10AM.

12. **Adjournment:**

Motion: _____ 2nd:

Vote: Y_____ N_____ Abs_____

Thank you for attending. Have a wonderful day!

veteran organization is a subcommittee under Forest Lake Chapter House as "Forest Lake Veteran Organization."

- C. Resolution FLC-26-003-009 States Recertification of FLVO Officers – Supposed to be approving the Plan of Operations of Forest Lake Chapter Veterans' Organization./Tabled. This resolution was tabled during the Forest Lake Chapter meeting due to the same reason addressed and question of the Forest Lake Veterans Organization heading. We need to attend the Forest Lake Chapter meeting on April 12, 2026 at 12pm.
- D. Veterans' Trust Fund: updated by Paula Begay, VSO, 3/9/26
 - Hardship: \$5,837.00
 - Energy: \$625.00
 - Stipend: \$1,350.00
 - Self Help: \$0
 - Total: \$7,812.00We need to know who the other Veterans are from Forest Lake Chapter House. The VSO will not give us name and addresses. Last monthly Veterans' meeting, the idea to give all Veterans a Pendleton blanket was Tabled. In another three months, roughly June, we may have to move funds from Hardship to Self Help. We can move the funds once so we have to plan carefully. Application given to Kee Yonnie to apply for Hardship and Energy.
- E. Public Notice Flyer of FLVO Veterans to be posted at various locations. Clarify what the flyer is for: Register at the Chinle Agency, Announce the monthly veterans meetings and Commander Lake phone number.
- F. Easter Run – Betty Redhair. Betty sent a text message this morning – "Run/Walk will not take place next month."

9. New Business:

- A. Expenditure of the FLVO VTF. Come up with ideas on how to spend it.
- B. Presentation of gifts to 2023/2025 FLVO Officers. Commander Lake, Vice-Commander Benally and Secretary Bizahalonie received Pendleton Blankets. This is recognition for their hard work. Honored. Respected. And Recognized. CNVO Commander Tim Johnson was not given a dinner or award for all his hard work. We would like to continue to do this for future FLVO officers.

- C. _____
- D. _____
- E. _____

10. Announcements

- A. Navajo Women Warriors Day of Recognition on Thursday, March 19, 2026 at Twin Arrows Navajo Casino Resort.
- B. _____
- C. _____

11. Next Meeting: April 12, 2026 @10AM.

12. Adjournment: 1111

Motion: Dennis Jim

2nd: Shirleen Chischilly.

Vote: Y 9 N 0 Abs 1

Thank you for attending. Have a wonderful day!

Forest LAKE Veterans Organization

Sunday, March 15, 2026

Sign-in-sheet.

1. Dwayne Lake
2. Tyrone Begay tybegay09@gmail.com
3. Tony Yellowhair P.O. Box 928, Pinon, AZ 86570
4. Joe ~~Har~~Begay - for Matthew Hemen
5. Melvina Bizahalonie
6. Dennis Jim djim54570@gmail.com
7. Anita L. Yazzie For Edwin + Paul Yazzie
8. Don Benally - Vice-commander - donbenally21@gmail.com
9. Paul C. Yuzzie pcykinyaaaanii@gmail.com
10. Kee Yannie
11. Shirlen Chischilly -
- 12.
- 13.
- 14.
- 15.

