



# TSE SI ANI'S VETERAN ORGANIZATION

HONORING ALL THOSE WHO SERVED

THALE GOODLUCK  
COMMANDER

BRYON YELLOWHORSE  
VICE-COMMANDER

CLARINDA YAZZIE  
SECRETARY/TREASURER

## Agenda

DATE: 01/08/2026

TIMES: 10:00 AM

COMPLETED

1. Call Meeting to Order:
  - a.
2. Invocation / Pledge of Allegiance / Moment of Silence:
  - a.
3. Roll Call of Officer:
  - a.
4. Review and Adopt Agenda:
  - a.
5. Approval of December Meeting Minutes:
  - a.
6. Recognizing Guest and Official
  - a.
7. Old Business
  - a. New Years Dinner – Jan 15<sup>th</sup> @ 06:00 pm
8. New Business:
  - a. Consideration and Action on Resolution Supporting Exception Language to the 180-Day Veteran Service Requirement and present at the Agency Meeting Jan 9.
  - b. Second Quarter Budget Adjustment – Hardship and Energy Assistance Cap
    - Review and consideration of a budget adjustment to restore the per-assistance cap for Hardship and Energy Assistance from \$253.00 back to the original amount of \$400.00 per eligible veteran, effective upon approval.
  - c. Consideration and Action on Resolution Supporting Veterans Transitional Housing Project and Authorization to Work with Tse Si Ani (Lupton) Chapter on Land Identification
    - Review, discussion, and possible adoption of a resolution supporting the development of a Veterans Transitional Housing Project and authorizing collaboration with the Tse Si Ani (Lupton) Chapter to identify and designate land through the Chapter land process.
9. Reports:
  - a. Commander Goodluck:
  - b. Vice-Commander Yellowhorse:
  - c. Secretary/Treasury Yazzie:
10. Presenters:
  - a.
11. Announcement:
  - a. Veteran Meeting:
12. Adjourn:
  - a.





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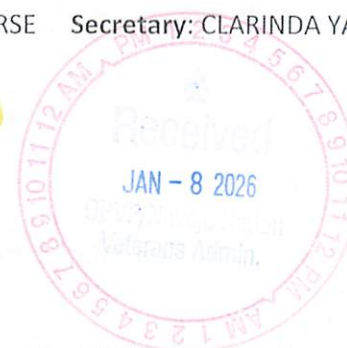
Commander: THALE GOODLUCK

Vice-Commander: BRYAN YELLOWHORSE

Secretary: CLARINDA YAZZIE

## VETERANS MEETING MINUTES

January 8, 2026



1. Meeting Called to Order @ 10:28 AM.
  - a. Invocation by Mr. Freddie Leo
  - b. Pledge of Allegiance followed by a Moment of Silence.
  - c. Roll Call of Officers, Commander, and Sec/Tres. Present, Vice-Commander B.Yellowhorse not present  
Quorum: 6 veterans, 6 spouse/widow, and no guests.
2. Review and Approval of Agenda (read as is): by Commander Thale Goodluck for 01/08/2026.  
Motion by A. Blackgoat, 2<sup>nd</sup> by T. Goodluck. Vote: 12 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained.
3. Approval of minutes from December 04, 2026. Read on your own  
Motion by T. Goodluck, 2<sup>nd</sup> by A Blackgoat. Vote; 12 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained.
4. Introduction of Guests: N/A
5. Old Business:
  - a. New Years Dinner postponed to January 15, 2026 @ 6pm Veteran + 2 guests
6. New business:
  - a. Supporting Exception language regarding the 180 days Veteran Service Requirement for Navajo Nation Veterans Annual Assistance. To add to the language how money is utilized to Navajo Veterans, which states a Veteran is considered only if they have completed 180 days of service with Honorable discharge, will qualify for assistance. See attachment.  
Motion by A. Blackgoat, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Freddie Leo, vote; 11 in favor, 1 opposed, 1 abstained.
  - b. Discussed the annual assistance for Veterans, we received word from Veterans Office Fallon Begay that there is money left over and we can apply for additional \$400.00 for Energy and \$400.00 for Hardship.  
Motion by Tim Goodluck, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Alvin Blackgoat, vote; 12 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained.
  - c. Transitional Housing Project, discussed a grant that we can apply for 4 hogans +1 additional for veterans that are homeless and need a home for 12mo to prepare for HSL and or acquiring a permanent home and help them get back on their feet, the additional would be for someone to live there like a landlord to keep the homes and veterans safe. Also, would like to discuss with Chapter officials to obtain a land withdrawal through them for our community Veterans.  
Motion by Mr. Blackgoat, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Tim Goodluck. Vote; 12 in favor, 0 opposed, 1 abstained.
7. Reports:
  - a. Commander Goodluck reported one of the grants he applied for was for, 27 veterans to get pallet stoves, so hoping that gets approved, just waiting on the approval. Also explained the reasoning for canceling the New Years Dinner, wanted to give the veterans a chance to spend with their families and not have to rush around. So New Years dinner rescheduled to Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm, each veteran can bring 2 guests. Also, he talked to his