



Cornfields Veterans Organization

Cornfields Chapter, Arizona 86505

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

December 28, 2025

9:00 AM

- I. Call to Order: Commander Smith called meeting to order at 9:40 am.
- II. Pledge of Allegiance/ Moment of Silence was given by Commander Smith.
- III. Invocation was given by Commander Smith.
- IV. Announcements:
 - Ft. Defiance Agency Veterans Organization Meeting is on January 9, 2026.
 - Recognize Guest & Visiting Officials: There was none.
- V. Approval of Agenda: Motion to Approve made by Julius Smith, Second: Mary Ann Arnold, Vote: 8-0-1.
- VI. Approval of Meeting Minutes – November 09, 2025: Motion to approve made by Dwayne White, Second: Patrick Burns, Vote: 7-0-1.
- VII. New Business:
 - A. FY CVO Trust Fund Report: Commander Smith said he stopped by the Agency Veterans Office to get the recent report, but office was closed on December 23, 2025, there was a sign which said office was closed and he tried calling but no answer. He will have the current information after the Agency meeting.
 - B. Approval of Cornfields Chapter Veterans Fund Report: Secretary Nez said the Financial Report from the Cornfields Chapter Coordinator said there was \$7,131.71 in the CVO account. She requested for funds for Office Supplies and equipment in the amount of \$3,500.00 to purchase a laptop, printer, software for word program, paper, ink and coffee pot, coffee, and other condiments supplies and paperware items, because she had been using personal funds to print meeting minutes and office correspondence, and provide refreshments for CVO meetings. She had been providing paper, using personal laptop, printer and ink to submit paperwork to the Veterans office in Window Rock. She will get price quotations and follow the Chapter Government procurement laws to purchase these items. Motion to approve made by Dwayne White, Second: Mary Ann Arnold. Vote: 8-0-1.
- VIII. Old Business:
 - A. None
- IX. Request for Agency Trust Funds:

- a) Approve CVO Officers Stipend for Conducting Meeting on December 28, 2025 Veterans Meeting. Motion to approve made by Dwayne White, Second: Dennis Dalgai, Vote: 8-0-1.
- X. Report: CVO Officers, American Legion: The Commanders report was made under Item IV. Announcements.
- XI. Benediction: Benediction was given by Evelyn Hardy.
- XII. Adjournment of Meeting & Next Meeting: Commander Smith adjourned the meeting with a majority vote. Next meeting will be on Friday, January 16, 2025 at 1:00pm. Time: 11:05am.

Ruthie A. Dwyer