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**Veterans' Affairs Committee (VAC)**  
*Meeting Notice and Agenda*  
**Revised**

Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Veterans' Affairs Committee and to the public that the Veterans' Affairs Committee will hold the following meeting which will be open to the public:

**Wednesday, February 11, 2026 - 6:00 p.m.**

**Hybrid Meeting**

Doors will be open to the public at 5:30 p.m.  
City Hall, 1st floor Conference Room  
255 West Alameda Street, Tucson, Arizona 85701

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All material related to the agenda items noted below will be provided via e-mail to commissioners by the City Clerk's Office.

- 1) **Call to Order / Establish a Quorum**
  
- 2) **Invocation**

- 3) Introduction of Guests - Update/Discussion**
  - a. Maria Nguyen, Southern Arizona Veterans Affairs Health Care System
  - b. Matthew Langseth, City of Tucson Veterans Coordinator
  - c. Margo Susco, Tucson Police Department
  - d. Sarah Horvath, Kino Memorial Park
  - e. Arlethe Rios, Office of Arizona Senator Mark Kelly
  - \* f. Floyd Celestine, Veteran Service Advisory Commission (VSAC)
  
- 4) Approval of Legal Action Report for the meeting of January 14, 2026**
  
- 5) Treasurer's Report**
  
- 6) VAC Savings / Checking Account - Update/Discussion**
  
- 7) Committee Reports – Update/Discussion**
  - a. Arizona Veterans' Memorial Cemetery
  - b. Arizona Department of Veterans' Services
  - c. Military Lounge and Operation Exodus
  - d. Four Chaplains Ceremony 2026
  
- 8) VAC Social Media presence – Update/Discussion**
  
- 9) Outreach to Mayor and Council – Update/Discussion**
  
- 10) VAC Fundraising Strategies – Update/Discussion**
  
- 11) Veteran's Day Parade/Memorials – Update/Discussion**

**12) Election of Officers - Update/Discussion**

- Chair – Rocio Kary
- Senior Vice Chair – Al Young
- Junior Vice Chair – Ann Hollis
- Treasurer – Terry Bryon
- Judge Advocate – Bruce Hayes
- Secretary - Lorriane Obregon

**13) Consideration/Approval of Member - Update/Discussion**

- a. Appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Brenda S. Hughey recommended by the Tucson Military Officers of America (MOAA) Chapter

**14) Report on Current Events for the Good of the Order**

**15) Future Agenda Items**

**16) Benediction**

**17) Adjournment**

**Next Meeting: Wednesday, March 11, 2026**