**Veterans Advisory Committee**

**AGENDA**
**August 24, 2026**
**4:00 PM**

**Community Room**
**401 E Chapman Ave, Placentia, CA 92870**

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**Veterans Advisory Committee**
**Regular Meeting Agenda**
**August 24, 2026**
**4:00 P.M.**
**Front Community Room**
**401 E Chapman Avenue, Placentia, CA 92870**

## CALL TO ORDER

## ROLL CALL
Chair Burandt-Nair
Vice Chair Green
Committee Member Alvarez
Committee Member Jones
Committee Member Henderson
Committee Member Brockmeier
Committee Member Culler
Committee Member Salcedo
Committee Member Macias

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

## ORAL COMMUNICATIONS
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## COMMITTEE COMMENTS AND REPORTS
The purpose of these reports is to provide information on projects and programs that are discussed at subcommittee meetings. No decisions are to be made on these issues. If a Committee member would like formal action on any of the discussed items, it will be placed on a future Committee Agenda.

## 1. AGENDA

1.1 Minutes

Recommended Action: Approve

1.2 2026 Veterans Day Observance Program -Updates on preparation for 2026 Veterans Day Observance Ceremony, November 11th, 2026.

a. Choir Leaders confirmed
b. Update Student Essays
c. Update Student Speakers

1.3 Goal & Objectives -

**STAFF COMMENTS**

**ADJOURNMENT**
The Veterans Advisory Committee will adjourn to a regular meeting on October 5, 2026 at 4 :00 p.m. in the Community Meeting Room, located at City Hall, 401 E. Chapman Avenue, Placentia.

**CERTIFICATION OF POSTING**
I, Lieutenant Tom McKenzie, Staff Liaison of the Veterans Advisory Committee, hereby certify the Agenda for the August 24, 2026, Regular Meeting of the Veterans Advisory Committee was posted on August 20, 2026.

*/s/ Tom McKenzie*
Police Lieutenant
Staff Liason

Agenda Item No: 1.1

# PLACENTIA VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: August 24, 2026
Submitted by: Kelley Krahling
From: Police Department

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**Subject:**
Minutes

**Recommended Action:**
Approve

**Attachments**
June 1 Signed Minutes.pdf

MINUTES
PLACENTIA VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING
June 1, 2026
PLACENTIA COMMUNITY MEETING ROOM

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**MEETING CALLED TO ORDER AT 4:02 P.M.**

ROLL CALL

Present: James Burandt-Nair, Bob Jones, Craig Green, Paul Henderson, Pat Alvarez, Jeffery Scott Brockmeier, Ron Culler
Absent : Pablo Salcedo, Humberto Macias

Staff Present: Lieutenant Tom McKenzie and Kelley Krahling

Guests: Ward Smith

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS – NONE

MINUTES – Bob Jones made a motion to approve the April minutes, Ron Culler 2nd, APPROVED

COMMITTEE COMMENTS AND REPORTS – None.

2026 VETERANS DAY OBSERVANCE PROGRAM –
Pat Alvarez suggested adding students from Tynes Elementary Choir to the event. Pat Alvarez is looking for 2 Student Keynote speakers.
Keynote Speaker secured, U.S.M.C. (retired) Bolivar Pluas
Ward Smith suggested providing transportation to Vets from Veterans Village to the Veterans Day Ceremony.

GOALS & OBJECTIVES –
Chairperson Burandt-Nair updated on helping in some way with the Legion as they plan and execute the remodel of their building, stating it is still in the planning process and he will let the group know what is needed once they have final plans.

Chairperson Burandt-Nair presented 3 logo options and Craig Green motioned to vote for version #3, 2nd by Pat Alvarez, APPROVED.

Chairperson Burandt-Nair will add information about sponsoring a Military Banner to the Trifold.

Lt. McKenzie will reach out to School District for approval of the essay writing contest. Prizes to be awarded at City Council meeting closes to Veterans Day Ceremony. One winner from each

school, Kraemer, Tuffree and Valadez

Bob Jones made a ,motion to add an additional Veterans Advisory Committee meeting on August 24th, 5:00p.m. in the Front Community Room, Paul Henderson 2nd, APPROVED

STAFF COMMENTS – None noted.

ADJOURNMENT - There being no further business, a **MOTION** by James Burandt-Nair to adjourn at 4:51 p.m. on Monday, June 1, 2026; **SECOND** by Craig Green. The meeting adjourned on June 1, at 4:51 p.m. The next meeting is to be held on August 24, 2026.

Lieutenant Tom McKenzie
Staff Liaison – Veterans Advisory Committee