

King County Veterans Advisory Board (VAB)

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VAB Meeting Packet

Meeting Date:

Thursday, October 15th, 2026

Meeting Time:

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

"The Mission of the Veterans' Advisory Board is to advise the Executive, County Council and the Department of Community and Human Services on the administration of the King County Veterans' Program; specifically, the needs of local Veterans and their families and to ensure steps are made that Veterans and their families are aware of resources and programs available to them."

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Meeting Overview

October 2026 Board Meeting Packet

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Meeting Format: Virtual or In-Person

Physical Meeting Location: 645 Andover Park West, Suite 100 Tukwila, WA. 98188

Virtual Meeting Location: [Join the meeting now](#)

How to Join

The upcoming Advisory Board Meeting will be held virtually via the King County Microsoft Teams platform. Individuals can enter the meeting using the link above or by:

Dial in by phone

[+1 425-653-6586,,664899655#](tel:+14256536586664899655) United States, Bellevue

Phone conference ID: 664 899 655#

Join on a video conferencing device

Tenant key: kcsc@m.webex.com

Video ID: 119 398 074 6

If you experience difficulties logging into the meeting, please contact Bryan Fry at bryan.fry@kingcounty.gov

Notification of Minutes and Recordings

Unless it's an emergency situation or an executive session, all regular and special meetings of the VSHSL Advisory Board that involve final decision-making must be documented through detailed meeting minutes. These minutes will be preserved indefinitely. They should capture not only the comments of individual board members but also those of any guests who make presentations during the advisory board meetings. By participating in these meetings, board members agree to have their comments officially recorded in the minutes.

Veterans Advisory Board Meeting

Meeting Agenda

Meeting Date:

Thursday, October 15th, 2026

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10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Time	Agenda Item	Facilitator
10:00 am	Roll Call	Staff
10:05 am	Review and Approval of Consent Agenda • <i>Approval of August 2026 Board Minutes</i>	Board
10:10 am	Public Comment	
10:15 am	KC Staff Updates: New Hirings Division Director Departure KCVP Happenings for October/November Financial Reports	Staff
10:35 am	Board-Business:	
11:00 am	Adjourn	

Veterans Advisory Board Meeting Minutes

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Meeting Date Covered in Minutes: August 2026

ADVISORY BOARD

Thursday, August 20th, 2026, | 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

Meeting Minutes

Summary of Attendance

- **Attended meeting via Zoom:**
 - Board Members:
 - Faisal Ahtker
 - Juanita Pettersen
 - Carrol Stripling (Chair)
- **Attended meeting in person:**
 - Board Members:
 - Pete Lewis
 - Brian Berry
 - Traci Williams
- **Unexcused:**
 - Eric Ballentine (1)
 - Douglas Hollingsworth (1)
- **Staff:**
 - Bryan Fry
- **Public:**
 - Robert Reese – SNO County VAB
 - Chandler Honeyman – SNO County VAB

Meeting Summary:

- Meeting started with Roll call
 - Quorum was met (6 Members attending).
 - KC Staff presented Consent Agenda for meeting.
 - Chair motioned for approval of consent agenda, received second and was approved.
 - Staff reported on 2026 Vets Engaged Program Award Recipients.
 - Open discussion of VAB Bylaws. Edit recommendations made to KC liaison.
 - Motion to approve VAB Bylaws, received second and was approved.

Public Comment:

- Sno County Veterans Advisory Board members attended the meeting in order to gain insight on KC VSHSL and to discuss similarities and differences across County Level Veteran Services.

Staff Updates:

- Staff provided YTD and September 2026 Financial Reports

- Staff provided update on KCVP staffing model

Board Business:

- Presenters Schedule