



**OKLAHOMA VETERANS COMMISSION
MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA
OCTOBER 16, 2026, 10:00 A.M.
ODVA CENTRAL OFFICE
2132 NE 36TH STREET
OKLAHOMA CITY, OK 73111**

AGENDA

1. ANNOUNCEMENT OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE OPEN MEETING ACT, FILING OF MEETING NOTICE, AND POSTING OF THE AGENDA — Chairman Daniel Orr and Jessica Stuehler, Executive Assistant to the Executive Director

The Oklahoma Veterans Commission will hold a regular meeting on Friday, October 16, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will take place at the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs (ODVA) Central Office, located at 2132 NE 36th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73111. A notice of this meeting was filed with the Secretary of State on January 22, 2026. The agenda for the meeting was properly displayed at least twenty-four (24) hours in advance, in accordance with the provisions of Title 25 O.S. § 311. This was done by posting the notice and agenda in a prominent public view at the Commission's principal office and on the Commission's website at <https://oklahoma.gov/veterans.html>. Additionally, copies of the notice and agenda were made available to the public at the Commission's principal office. The agenda items listed may be discussed in any order the Oklahoma Veterans Commission deems appropriate.

2. CALL TO ORDER, RECORDING OF MEMBERS PRESENT AND ABSENT, AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF A QUORUM — Chairman Orr and Jessica Stuehler

3. POSSIBLE DISCUSSION, REVISION, AND VOTE TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE VETERANS COMMISSION MEETING FROM SEPTEMBER 25, 2026 — Chairman Orr and Jessica Stuehler

Action Required

4. INVOCATION, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, AND WELCOME TO VISITORS AND GUESTS — Chairman Orr

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- 5. REPORT AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING THE OKLAHOMA VETERANS FOUNDATION – Commissioner Sid Ellington and Sandra Shelton, Director of Strategic Communications and Legislative Affairs**
Consideration of Maurice Compton for appointment to the Board of Directors

Action Required

- 6. DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL OF PROPOSED OKLAHOMA VETERANS COMMISSION MEETING DATES 2027 – Chairman Orr and Jessica Stuehler**

All regular meetings listed below will begin at 10:00 a.m and will be held at the ODVA Central office, 2132 NE 36th St, Oklahoma City, OK 73111.

- A. January 15, 2027
- B. February 19, 2027
- C. March 19, 2027
- D. April 16, 2027
- E. May 21, 2027
- F. June 18, 2027
- G. July 16, 2027
- H. August 20, 2027
- I. September 17, 2027
- J. October 15, 2027
- K. November 19, 2027
- L. December 17, 2027

Action Required

- 7. LEGISLATIVE, CONGRESSIONAL AND REGULATORY UPDATE – Director Bynum**
The Commission will be briefed on legislation and public policy issues affecting veterans and Commission legislative initiatives for the 2027 Legislative session.
- A. Discuss potential legislation supported by Congressman Tom Cole, directing VA to examine alternative capital and partnership models for Veteran Home Infrastructure.

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- 8. 2027 LEGISLATIVE AGENDA – Director Bynum**
The Director will introduce possible legislative initiatives for the 2027 Legislative Session, for initial discussion and future development.
- A. Veterans license plates
 - B. Data sharing with state agencies
 - C. Donation option on executive forms
 - D. Workday Human Resources Program Exemption
 - E. Veterans-support Scratch Games and Lottery Commission
 - F. State Use Exemption
 - G. Proposal for a new Grant program

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9. FINANCIAL REPORT – Director Bynum

The Commission will be briefed on current department financial figures.

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10. HOMES UPDATE

The Director will discuss spending authority needed for Sallisaw.

Action Required

11. FY28 BUDGET DECISION BRIEF – Director Bynum

The Commission will review the proposed FY28 Budget Request for discussion and approval. Discussion will include an overview of Agency future-year capital investment priorities.

Action Required

12. Oklahoma Capital Assets Maintenance and Protection (OCAMP) funding – Director Bynum. The Director will update the Commission intended use of OCAMP funds allocated to ODVA.

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13. COMMISSION MEETING CHANGE OF VENUE AND TIME – Director Bynum

The Commission will discuss and may approve changing the time and location of its November 20, 2026, commission meeting to 9:00 am at the Norman Veterans Home, 1776 E. Robinson St. Norman, OK 73071, and authorize the submission of the required written notice of change to the Oklahoma Secretary of State.

Action Required

14. FOUNDATION EVENTS REPORT AND PREVIEW OF VETERANS EVENTS – Sandra Shelton

The Commission will be briefed on Veterans events across the state.

A. Workforce and Warriors, September 30

B. Tulsa State Fair, October 1-11

C. Norman Veterans Home 30th Anniversary Celebration, November 20

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14. CONCLUDING REMARKS REGARDING AGENDA ITEMS AND NEW BUSINESS — Director Bynum and Chairman Orr

Pursuant to 25 O.S. § 311, “New Business” shall mean any matter not known about or which could not have been reasonably foreseen prior to the time of posting this Notice (24 hours prior to the meeting).

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15. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING — Chairman Orr

The Commission will announce the date, time, and place for the next Commission meeting.

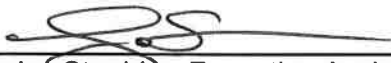
Subject to Commission approval of the proposed time and location change and completion of the required notice, the next Oklahoma Veterans Commission Regular Meeting will be held on November 20, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. at the Norman Veterans Home located at 1776 E Robinson

St, Norman, OK 73071. If the proposed change is not approved, the previously filed meeting schedule will remain in effect.

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16. POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ADJOURNMENT — Chairman Orr

This body may discuss, vote to approve, disapprove, amend, or partially approve, vote to table, change the order of any agenda item, or choose not to discuss any item on the agenda. This notice was prominently displayed at the principal offices of the Oklahoma Veterans Commission, located at 2132 N.E. 36th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73111, on Thursday, October 15, 2026. It was also posted on the Oklahoma Department of Veterans Affairs website by 10:00 a.m. on the same date.



Jessica Stuehler, Executive Assistant

10.15.2026