

## **McKINNEY ARMED SERVICES MEMORIAL BOARD**

**SEPTEMBER 11, 2019**

The McKinney Armed Services Memorial Board met at the Parks, Recreation, and Open Space Conference Room, 1611 North Stonebridge Drive McKinney, Texas on September 11, 2018 at 6:02pm.

Board members Present: Chairman Barry Brown, Vice Chairman Colin Kimball, Marlene Bockler, and Matt Harris

Absent: Matthew Parker, Clark Gullette, and Anne Yanez

Staff Members present: Tim White, Parks & Recreation Superintendent and Flora Ray, Parks & Recreation Executive Assistant

Chairman Brown called the meeting to order at 6:02pm.

- 19-0673** Board members unanimously approved the motion by Board member Kimball, seconded by Board member Harris to approve the Minutes of the McKinney Armed Services Memorial Board Meeting of June 12, 2019.
- 19-0744** Chairman Brown called for discussion regarding the Gold Star Mother's Day Ceremony at sundown on Sunday September 29, 2019 at the Veterans Memorial Park. Final details were discussed such as wreath donations, confirming Minister Leslie Stewart to speak as well as the Gold Star Families, and completing the flyer for Communications & Marketing to include for the event creation.
- 19-0745** Chairman Brown called for discussion regarding the Veterans Day Ceremony at 11AM Saturday November 9, 2019 at the Veterans Memorial Park. Planning is continued for the ceremony such as confirming the Keynote Speaker, Guest Speaker Mayor Fuller, inviting the McKinney Mounted Patrol, the McKinney High School Choir, and Minister for the Invocation, as well as assigning Board member tasks.
- 19-0672** Board members unanimously approved the motion by Board member Harris seconded by Board member Bockler to approve four additional

names for the Veterans Memorial Wall. The names approved for engraving on the Wall of Honor in May 2020 are: Gerald Ray Hudson, Robert Wilson Davidson, Bryan Njoroge, and George Oliver "Jinx" Upchurch.

Chairman Brown called for citizen comments and there were not any.

Chairman Brown called for Board comments: Chairman Brown received a letter to the Board from the VFW Post 2150 thanking the Board for their sponsorship for the Golf Tournament. Chairman Brown mentioned that for the upcoming year new appointments of Alternates will help achieve quorum. Chairman Brown thanked Marlene Bockler for her service on the Board and presented her with a US flag from the Veterans Memorial Park.

Board members unanimously approved the motion by Board member Bockler seconded by Board member Harris to adjourn at 6:53pm.

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BARRY BROWN  
Chairman