DeKalb County Veterans Assistance Commission

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2500 N. Annie Glidden Rd., Five Seasons Room
DeKalb IL
June 9th, 2025 starting (tentatively) at 6:00pm

I. **Call to Order**

II. **Pledge of Allegiance**

III. **Roll Call of Delegates/Alternates**

IV. **Public Comment**

V. **Reading & Approval of the May 2025 Meeting Minutes**

VI. **Treasurer's Report**

VII. **Superintendent's Report**
- **a. Approval of May 2025 Expenses**

VIII. **Committee Reports**

IX. **Unfinished Business**

X. **New Business**
- **a. 1 Additional Position**

XI. **For the Good of the Commission**

XII. **Adjournment**

DEKALB COUNTY VETERANS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION
REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2025
STATE OF THE BUDGET

Communication	QUANTITY	YTD
Phone	535	2253
Office Visit	175	727
Outreach/Home Visits	3	21
Email/Mail	329	1355
Direct Submit	55	236
Fax	9	27
Other/Forms	583	2557
Total Employee Communictions	1689	7176
Total Employee Activity	2281	9952

VA AWARDANCE	MONTHLY	YTD
Monthly	$ 33,407.80	$ 149,323.56
Retro	$ 117,851.53	$ 716,803.03
Total	**$ 151,259.33**	$ 866,126.59

EXPENDITURES		MONTHLY	YTD
Salaries and Benefits		$ 34,612.32	$ 189,297.80
Training and Meetings		$ 1,036.91	$ 5,561.35
Office Expenses		$ 168.32	$ 6,433.54
Building Space/Maintenance		$ -	$ -
Direct Assistance to Veterans	**Number Assisted**		
Shelter	15	$ 8,625.00	$ 37,925.00
Other	0	$ -	$ -
Drivers Per Diem		$ 600.00	$ 2,100.00
Disaster Assistance	0	$ -	$ -
Vehicle Expense			
Vehicle Purchase		$ -	$ -
Fuel Cost $2.85 per gallon		$ 361.92	$ 1,561.27
Maintenance		$ -	$ 10,168.97
	Totals	**$ 45,404.47**	$ 253,047.93

Transportation Logs	QUANTITY	YTD
Trips	27	132
Hours Donated	139.00	744.5
Transported	33	170
Miles	4070	21763
Fuel (gallons)	126.9	571.1

SUMMARY	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT
Budget	100%	$ 729,600.00
Previous YTD Expenditures	-28%	$ 207,643.46
Current Month Expenditures	-6%	$ 45,404.47
Balance	65%	**$ 476,552.07**

Restricted Fund Balance $1,239,366.00

DEKALB COUNTY VETERANS ASSISTANCE COMMISSION
VETERANS ASSISTANCE MAY 2025/ TRANSPORTATION REPORT APRIL 2025
MEETING MONTH OF JUNE 2025

	Shelter		Transportation
Towns	Amount	# of Vets	# of Vets
Cortland	$ 650.00	1	
DeKalb	$ 4,025.00	7	15
Fairdale/Elburn	$ 600.00	1	
Genoa			1
Hinckley			
Kingston			
Kirkland			2
Clare			2
Malta			
Sandwich	$ 900.00	2	6
Shabbona	$ -		
Somonauk			
Sycamore	$ 2,450.00	4	7
Waterman			

Total	$ 8,625.00	15	33

ASSISTANCE COMMISSION
DEKALB COUNTY VETERANS 30-0
2583 S SNYDER ROAD 0
OREGON IL 61061 0

NOT FOR PROFIT-NIB ACCOUNT XXXXXX4732

DESCRIPTION	DEBITS	CREDITS	DATE	BALANCE
BALANCE LAST STATEMENT			04/30/25	5,953.30
BALANCE THIS STATEMENT			05/30/25	5,953.30

TOTAL DAYS IN STATEMENT PERIOD 05/01/25 THROUGH 05/30/25: 30

TOTAL CREDITS	(0)	.00	AVG AVAILABLE BALANCE	5,953.30
TOTAL DEBITS	(0)	.00		

- - - ITEMIZATION OF OVERDRAFT AND RETURNED ITEM FEES - - -

	TOTAL FOR THIS PERIOD	TOTAL YEAR TO DATE
TOTAL OVERDRAFT FEES:	$.00	$.00
TOTAL RETURNED ITEM FEES:	$.00	$.00

Flag Day - Car Show
Motorcycle Ride

SATURDAY, JUNE 14, 2025

Staging 11:00am to 11:25am at the DeKalb AMVETS Post 90, 421 E. Oak St.

KSU at 11:30am for the one hour ride to the Flag Day – Car Show

Flag Day – Car Show, Sycamore HyVee from 9:00am to 3:00pm

Staging 1:00pm to 1:15pm at the Sycamore HyVee Parking Lot

KSU at 1:20pm for the ride to the Genoa Veterans Home, 311 S. Washington St.

Stop at Genoa Veterans Home from 2:00pm to 2:30pm with KSU at 2:35pm

Destination to be determined at 2:30pm by the group

This is an unescorted ride and ride at your own risk ride

Veterans and Community Activities List for 2024-2025 as of **Monday, June 2, 2025**

To receive information about veteran or motorcycle activities please email ffb66@juno.com

Almost Every Sat		Noon	2:00pm	**Luncheon, Genoa Veteans Home,** 311 S. Washington St., Genoa, IL 60115
Almost Every Sat		Noon	2:00pm	Genoa Veterans Home, 50/50 Raffle almost every Saturday
Mon	2nd Mon	6:00pm	6:30pm	**DeKalb County Veterans Assistance Commission** (DCVAC) **Meetings, 815-756-8129** 2500 North Annie Glidden Road, Suite A, DeKalb, IL 60115 (Anyone may attend the meetings but please call to confirm the meeting date and time) **(Veterans)** (Please call **815-756-8129** to make an appointment for help)
Sat	2nd Sat	10:00am	11:00am	**DeKalb AMVETS Post 90 Meetings** at 421 East Oak St., (1st year membership is free)
Sat	2nd Sat	Noon	12:30pm	**DeKalb Sons of the American Legion (SAL)** Squadron 66 **Meetings** in DeKalb
Sat	2nd Sat	2:00pm	2:30pm	**Genoa American Legion Riders** (ALR) Post 337 **Meetings** at Genoa Veterans Home
Sat	2nd Sat	2:30pm	5:00pm	Weather permitting, a motorcycle ride (2:30pm) after the luncheon and meeting (You do not need to be a veteran or an ALR member to ride with us) **(RIDE FOR FUN)** Call 815-901-3834 to confirm that the meeting date has not been changed.
Sun	3rd Sun	4:00pm	5:00pm	**Northern Illinois Veterans Memorial** (NIVM) Committee **Meetings** at the Resource Bank (The current project is to replace all faded panels on the southeast side of the memorial) NIVM is an Internal Revenue Code tax exempt IRC Section 501(c)(3) organization. Donations can be sent to: Resource Bank, PO Box 464, Kirkland, IL 60146 Make checks payable to: Northern Illinois Veterans Memorial (Memo: NIVM Restoration) (For more information go to www.nivmkirkland.org/ or **Call Guy Sparrow**, 920-570-3434)
Mon	4th Mon	5:00pm	6:00pm	**Genoa Veterans of Foreign Wars** (VFW) Post 8387 **Meetings** at Genoa Veterans Home
Sat	06/14/25	9:00am	3:00pm	**Flag Day - Car Show** - HYVEE - Sycamore, Michael Embrey, 815-756-1263
Sat	06/14/25	11:30am	4:00pm	Motorcycle ride to the Flag Day - Car Show, Starting from DeKalb AMVETS, KSU 11:30am
	07/26/25	to	07-27-25	Kishwaukee Fest - Celebration of DeKalb County, Michael Embry, 815-756-1263
Fri	08/01/25	**Friday and Saturday**		**18th Annual Veterans Weekend, Friday and Saturday**
Fri	08/01/25	5:00pm	Until Close	**Veterans Appreciation WEEKEND, Kick Off, at the DeKalb AMVETS Post 90, 421 E. Oak St.** Food available after 5:00pm and a short veteran recognition ceremony at 6:30pm
Fri	08/01/25	Late Fri. and Sat.		**Living History Military Encampment**, Late Friday and Saturday at the Genoa Veterans Home Genoa Veterans Home, 311 South Washington Street, Genoa, Illinois 60115
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	2:30pm	**Motorcycle/Motorcade Parade** of Vehicles, **Honoring Senior Veterans, sycamore.alr99@yahoo.com**
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	2:30pm	2 wheelers, 3 wheelers, 4 wheelers and all wheelers invited to participate.
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	9:00am	Stage at DeKalb Recreation Center, 1765 S. 4th St., DeKalb, IL, Safety brief 8:55am
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	10:15am	**French Toast and Sausage Breakfast** at the Genoa Veterans Home, 8:15am-10:30am ($5pp)
		Noon	2:00pm	**Luncheon,** Genoa Veteans Home, 311 S. Washington St., Genoa, IL 60115
Sat	08/02/25	2:00pm	4:00pm	**Veterans Awareness Fair, Genoa Veterans Home, 311 South Washington St., 60135**
Sat	08/02/25	3:00pm	6:00pm	**Corn Boil,** Hosted by the Sons of the American Legion (SAL) from Belvidere and Genoa
Sat	08/02/25	3:00pm	6:00pm	Corn Boil will be at the Genoa Veterans Home, 311 South Washington St., 60135, ($3pp)
Fri	09/19/25	4:30pm	5:00pm	POW/MIA Remembrance Ceremony at the Genoa Veterans Home (GVH)
Fri	09/19/25	5:00pm	7:00pm	Genoa VFW Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread Dinner (RSVP Pre-paid $10 Walk-in $12)
Fri	11/07/25			24 Hour Courthouse Vigil, Sycamore, Illinois Contact Dwain Adkins, 815-895-6927

Provided by DeKalb County 40&8, Voiture 207 ***(Updated almost weekly)*** **All events are subject to change**

Frank Beierlotzer, Public Relations Officer 815-901-3834 ffb66@juno.com

DeKalb County Veterans Orginizations
Voting Monday June 9th, 2025

Veterans of Foreign Wars	Delegates & Alternates	Present	Superintendents Report Approval May 2025		
	D: H. James Cox (V.P.)	X	Y		
Post #1486 Sandwich.	*A: Rebecca Ropp*				
	D: Gerald Drake	X	Y		
Post #5768 Sycamore	*A: Ernie McGee*				
	D: Donald Brown	X	Y		
Post #8387 Genoa	*A: Frank Beierlotzer*	X	Y		

American Legion

	D: Joseph Hodder	X	Y		
Post #66 DeKalb.	*A: Charlotte Hodder*	X	Y		
	D: Dwain Adkins	X	Y		
Post #99 Sycamore.	*A: Ed McComb (Dir 2025)*				
	D: Celeste Latham (President)	X	Abstain		
Post #181 Sandwich	*A: Joseph Kotalik*				
	D: George Schippits	X	Y		
Post #337 Genoa	*A: William Lambert*	X	Y		
	D:				
**Post #598 Hinckley*	*A:*				
	D.Robert Bend (Dir 2026)				
Post #654 Waterman	*A: Nicole Begne*				
	D:				
**Post # 772 Somonauk*	*A:*				
	D:				
**Post #1010 Kingston*	*A:*				

	D: Robert Coulter (Treasurer)	X	Y		
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**Marine Corps League Detachment #847 DeKalb Cty*	*D:*				
	A:				

	D:				
**AmVets Post #90 DeKalb*	*A:*				

* Not Regular Attendees

NC= not coming

DCVAC Superintendent	Tammy Anderson	X	**Abstain**	**Abstain**	

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Sign in for DCVAC meeting on June 9th, 2025

Name & Organization		Circle One
1.	Robert Coulter 40&8	Driver/Passenger
2.	James Cox 1486 VFW	Driver/Passenger
3.	Don Brown 8387 VFW	Driver/Passenger
4.	George Schyndt 337	Driver/Passenger
5.	Frank F. Baierlotzer 8387 VFW	Driver/Passenger
6.	[illegible] 337	Driver/Passenger
7.	Celeste Latham 181	Driver/Passenger
8.	Charlotte Hodder Post 66	Driver/Passenger
9.	Joe Hodder Post 66	Driver/Passenger
10.	Gerry Drake Post 5768	Driver/Passenger
11.	Durwin Adkins Post 99	Driver/Passenger
12.		Driver/Passenger