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2500 N. Annie Glidden Rd., Five Seasons Room
DeKalb IL
July 14th, 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 June 2025 Meeting Minutes**

VI. **Treasurer's Report**

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

VIII. **Committee Reports**

IX. **Unfinished Business**

X. **New Business**
   a. **FY2026 Budget – Discussion & Vote**

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

XII. **Adjournment**

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ACCOUNT: XXXXXX4732 06/30/2025

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

Effective July 1, 2025
Our Funds Availability Policy will be changed as follows: The amount available for withdrawal on checks not subject to next-day availability will increase from $225 to $275. The amount available for withdrawal on exception holds for large deposits and new accounts not subject to next-day availability will increase from $5,525 to $6,725. Additionally, the threshold for determining a repeat overdraft will also increase from $5,525 to $6,725. If you have any questions regarding these changes, please contact us at 815-756-6321.

NOT FOR PROFIT-NIB ACCOUNT XXXXXX4732

DESCRIPTION	DEBITS	CREDITS	DATE	BALANCE
BALANCE LAST STATEMENT			05/30/25	5,953.30
BALANCE THIS STATEMENT			06/30/25	5,953.30

TOTAL DAYS IN STATEMENT PERIOD 05/31/25 THROUGH 06/30/25: 31

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

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DEKALB CO VETERANS ASSISTANCE
COMMISSION
2583 S SNYDER ROAD
OREGON IL 61061-9431

When was your last review?

If you haven't had a review with your financial advisor in the past 12 months, now is the time to do so. Together, you can discuss changes in - and outside - your life and determine if any changes are needed. Even if no action is necessary, a check-in can help ensure your finances are still on track toward your goals.

Corporate - Select
Portfolio Objective - Account: Preservation of Principal

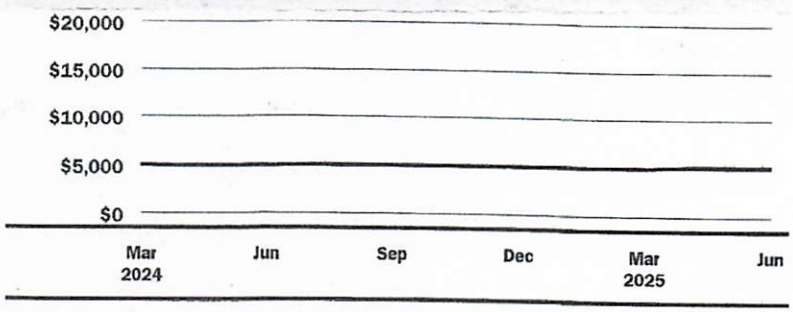
Account Agreement Notice: We updated the Select Brokerage, Select Retirement CSA and some IRA agreements (for IRAs opened pre-6/9/2017) to (1) explain when alternative investments may be held in the accounts and applicable restrictions and (2) clarify the Class Action Claims Filing Service. Review the updates at edwardjones.com/account-agreements.

Account Value

$5,241.91

1 Month Ago	$5,238.37
1 Year Ago	$4,993.38
3 Years Ago	$0.00
5 Years Ago	$0.00

Value of Your Account



Value Summary

	This Period	This Year
Beginning Value	$5,238.37	$5,009.43
Assets Added to Account	0.00	0.00
Assets Withdrawn from Account	0.00	0.00
Fees and Charges	0.00	0.00
Change In Value	3.54	232.48
Ending Value	**$5,241.91**	

For more information regarding the Value Summary section, please visit www.edwardjones.com/mystatementguide .

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

Communication	QUANTITY	YTD
Phone	373	2626
Office Visit	122	849
Outreach/Home Visits	7	28
Email/Mail	231	1586
Direct Submit	51	287
Fax	7	34
Other/Forms	363	2920
Total Employee Communictions	1154	8330
Total Employee Activity	1732	11684
VA AWARDANCE	MONTHLY	YTD
Monthly	$ 28,317.38	$ 177,640.94
Retro	$ 228,818.56	$ 945,621.59
Total	**$ 257,135.94**	$ 1,123,262.53

EXPENDITURES		MONTHLY	YTD
Salaries and Benefits		$ 31,627.79	$ 220,925.59
Training and Meetings		$ 668.52	$ 6,229.87
Office Expenses		$ 984.16	$ 7,417.70
Building Space/Maintenance		$ -	$ -
Direct Assistance to Veterans	**Number Assisted**		
Shelter	14	$ 8,025.00	$ 45,950.00
Other	0	$ -	$ -
Drivers Per Diem		$ 540.00	$ 2,640.00
Disaster Assistance	0	$ -	$ -
Vehicle Expense			
Vehicle Purchase/Insurance		$ -	$ -
Fuel Cost ($2.72 per gallon)		$ 411.41	$ 1,972.68
Maintenance		$ -	$ 10,168.97
	Totals	**$ 42,256.88**	$ 295,304.81

Transportation Logs	QUANTITY	YTD
Trips	27	159
Hours Donated	149.10	893.6
Transported	32	202
Miles	4715	26478
Fuel (gallons)	151.0	722.1

SUMMARY	PERCENTAGE	AMOUNT
Budget	100%	$ 729,600.00
Previous YTD Expenditures	-35%	$ 253,047.93
Current Month Expenditures	-6%	$ 42,256.88
Balance	60%	**$ 434,295.19**

Restricted Fund Balance $ 1,133,582.00

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
Clare			3
Genoa			1
Hinckley			
Kingston			
Kirkland			
Elburn	$ 600.00	1	
Malta			
Sandwich	$ 900.00	2	1
Shabbona	$ -		0
Somonauk	$ -		0
Sycamore	$ 1,850.00	3	11
Waterman			1

Total	$ 8,025.00	14	32

Saturday, August 2, 2025

VETERANS HONOR RUN

MOTORCYCLE MOTORCADE PARADE OF VEHICLES

2 wheelers, 3 wheelers, 4 wheelers and all street legal vehicles welcome

Staging: DeKalb Recreation Center, 1765 S. Fourth St., DeKalb, Illinois 60115
Registration 8:15am, Safety Brief 8:55am, Kickstands up (KSU) 9:10am

HONORING OUR SENIOR VETERANS AT LOCAL RETIREMENT CENTERS

Pine Acres Rehab & Living Center
Barb City Manor
DeKalb County Rehab & Nursing Center
Heritage Woods Retirement Center
Oak Crest Retirement Center
Bethany Healthcare & Rehab Center
Lunch Break (Hot dogs, chips and water provided)
Grand Victorian of Sycamore
Lincolnshire Place

After Party located at the Genoa Veterans Home

311 South Washington Street, Genoa, Illinois 60135

Sycamore American Legion Riders

sycamore.alr99@yahoo.com

18th Annual Veterans Weekend, Friday & Saturday, August 1 & 2, 2025
Friday, DeKalb AMVETS, MEET & GREET starting at 5:00pm
Saturday, **Veterans Awareness Fair**, Genoa Veterans Home from 2:00pm to 4:00pm
Saturday, Genoa Sons of the American Legion (SAL) **CORN BOIL** 3:00pm
If you need an overnight stay Friday, Saturday or Sunday, $85.99 plus tax, 815-901-3834, Frank

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2025, 18th Annual Veterans Weekend as of Wednesday, July 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
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.
Mon	4th Mon	5:00pm	6:00pm	**Genoa Veterans of Foreign Wars** (VFW) Post 8387 **Meetings** at Genoa Veterans Home
Fri	08/01/25	**Friday and Saturday**		18th Annual Veterans Weekend
Fri	08/01/25	**Friday and Saturday**		**Friday & Saturday, August 1 & 2, 2025**
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
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	2:30pm	Motorcycle/Motorcade Parade of Vehicles
Sat	08/02/25	8:15am	2:30pm	Honoring Senior Veterans at eight senior living facilities
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)
Sat	08/02/25	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)

Come visit DeKalb County Illinois and help us honor our senior veterans and all veterans

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Fri	09/19/25	5:00pm	7:00pm	Genoa VFW Spaghetti, Salad, Garlic Bread Dinner (RSVP Pre-paid $10 Walk-in $12)
Fri	09/19/25	7:00pm		**POW/MIA** Remembrance Ceremony at the Genoa Veterans Home (GVH)
Fri	11/07/25			24 Hour Courthouse Vigil, Sycamore, Illinois Contact Dwain Adkins, 815-895-6927

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

DeKalb County Veterans Orginizations
Voting Monday July 14th, 2025

Veterans of Foreign Wars	Delegates & Alternates	Present	Superintendents Report Approval June 2025	Additional $50,000 Vehicle Purchase	FY2026 Bu
	D: H. James Cox (V.P.)	X	Y	Y	Y
Post #1486 Sandwich.	*A: Rebecca Ropp*				
	D: Gerald Drake	X	Y	Y	Y
Post #5768 Sycamore	*A: Ernie McGee*				
	D: Donald Brown	X	Y	Y	Y
Post #8387 Genoa	*A: Frank Beierlotzer*	X	Y	Y	Y

American Legion

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

	D: Robert Coulter (Treasurer)	X	Y	Y	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	Abstain

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Sign in for DCVAC meeting on July 14th, 2025

Name & Organization		Circle One
1. Celeste Latham - (81		Driver/Passenger
2. Jim Cox	1484	Driver/Passenger
3. Robert Coulter	4048	Driver/Passenger
4. Bill Lemlud	337	Driver/Passenger
5. Gary Shypta	337	Driver/Passenger
6. Donald Brew	8387	Driver/Passenger
7. Gerry Deake	5768	Driver/Passenger
8. Joe Hadden	Post 66	Driver/Passenger
9. Charles Hadden	Post 66	Driver/Passenger
10. Robert Bell	AL 654	Driver/Passenger
11. Frank F. Bierlein	8387	Driver/Passenger
12.		Driver/Passenger