

Central Texas Veteran Services Coalition



Meeting Agenda

Goodwill Building Room 3338, 1015 Norwood Park Blvd, Austin, TX 78753

December 15th, 2016 - 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

- I. **Welcome and Brief Introductions of VSOs (15 mins)**

- II. **VSO Partner Spotlights**
 - A. Ben Vipond, VA – Make the Connection - (10 to 15 mins) Q&A (5 mins)
 - B. Warren Gillespie, USAF (Ret), Episcopal Veterans Fellowship - (10 to 15 mins) Q&A (5 mins)

- III. **Action Items**
 - A. Old Business
 1. CTVSC Outreach Committee, Jonathan Leistiko (5 mins)
 2. Austin Furniture Bank: Accomplishments in 2016 – Projections for 2017, Bo Buell (5 to 10 mins)
 3. Discuss nomination / election of new chairs for 2017
 - a. Current Chairs: April Sullivan, Casey Wade, Bo Buell, (Jonathan Leistiko, Secretary)
 - b. Proposed term of service duration for co-chair position
 4. Any loose ends that need to be addressed for 2016?
 - B. New Business
 1. CTVSC 2017 Goals and Planning Session (ideas, suggestions, areas of focus, etc.) – (10 mins)
 - a. Identifying opportunities to address service gaps?
 2. Career/Resource Fair for next year March (or whichever month) – Are there any updates?
 3. Volunteer Opportunities?
 - a. Austin Furniture Bank is always looking for volunteers.
 - b. _____

- IV. **Announcements (10 mins)**
 - A. Upcoming Veteran Events
 1. _____
 2. _____
 - B. Success Stories?
 - C. Confirm chair for January meeting?
 1. Date/Time: January 19, 2017, 2 – 4 PM, Goodwill Building Room 3338
 2. January Spotlight VSO: TBD (CVMA?) _____

- V. **Adjourn and Networking**