

**Board of Veterans Services
Benefits Subcommittee
October 24, 2006
American Legion Department of Virginia**

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Subcommittee Chairman Al Sample.

The following individuals were present:

Al Sample—Benefits Subcommittee Chairman
Paul Galanti—Chairman of the Board of Veterans Services
Vince Burgess—DVS Commissioner
Fred Fralin—DVS Benefits Services Manager
Steve Combs—DVS Policy and Planning Director
Annie Mosby—DVS State Approving Agency Director

The following Subcommittee members were absent:

Kirk Cox
Bill Leighty
Max Taylor

Because there was not a quorum, no official business was conducted.

After the introduction and a few remarks by the past Subcommittee chairman, Paul Galanti, the following items were discussed:

- The role of the SAA
- Executive Order 19
- Veterans Service Benefits
- How well services and benefits are being delivered
- Training of new VSOs
- Overview of Benefit Delivery at Discharge (BDD)
- Scheduling of subcommittee meetings

The meeting was adjourned at 11:40 A.M.