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VILLAGE OF HANOVER PARK

VETERANS COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING

**Police Headquarters-2011 Lake Street
Hanover Park, IL 60133**

**Saturday, February 7, 2026
9:00 AM**

MINUTES

1. **CALL TO ORDER – ROLL CALL**

Committee member James Kemper called the meeting to order at 9:09 a.m.

PRESENT: Committee Members: James Kemper
Tom Fortney
Jim Lopez
Mark Parlanti
Dave Warkel

ALSO PRESENT: Board Liaison Village President Rodney Craig
Staff Liaison Director of Public Works - T.J. Moore
Trustee Jon Kunkel
Michele Salazar
Auxiliary Member John Mayeux
Erika Griesemer

ABSENT: Committee Members: Ken Griesemer
Trustee Albuck
June Euliano
Chairperson Rick Roberts
Frank Perry

Auxiliary Members:

2. ACCEPTANCE OF AGENDA

Motion by: Tom Fortney
Second by: Mark Parlanti
Vote: All Ayes

3. PRESENTATIONS/REPORTS:

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: November 1, 2025

Motion by: Dave Warkel
Second by: Mark Parlanti
Vote: All Ayes

5. ACTION ITEMS:

6. TOWNHALL SESSION:

7. OLD BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

8. NEW BUSINESS (NON-ACTION ITEMS):

8a. Open Discussion

Committee members will begin planning the Memorial Day Observance. It will be the same event the Village has always had, with the committee open to new suggestions.

Director Moore would like to have a special project for America's 250th birthday celebration. He would like to focus on Hanover Park veterans by highlighting them every few weeks, posting a boot camp photo alongside everyone's military experience.

The Veteran's Memorial Plaza will evolve as the new Village plaza renovations take place.

8b. Next Meeting- March 7, 2026

9. ADJOURNMENT:

Motion by: James Kemper at 9:48 am
Second by: Mark Parlanti
Vote: All Ayes

