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Veterans Task Force Committee Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, June 19, 2018
Mr. Michael Nelson and Ms. Carrie Taft, Committee Co-Chairpersons

The Veterans Task Force Committee met on Tuesday, June 19, 2018 at 10:00 AM at the Bronx Community Board #6's district office.

Attendees:

Co-Chairperson: Carrie Taft

Intern: Yamela Cando

Guests: Veterans: 4, Family: 0, Friend: 0

The following items were discussed:

- Reviewed tools to be used by VTF in the monitoring and follow-up of city services to ensure adequate service delivery to and acquisition by Veterans and their families in the CB6 (and other Bronx area) Board district.
- Reiterated CB6 VTF's prioritized list April 20, 2018 of needs to be addressed (in the order written): Housing, Mental Health, VA Prioritization, Citizenship, and; *(new 6/19/18)* Transportation.
- Informed by members Cortez and Tim the *5 Calls* App now requests a fee.
- Cochair confirmed completion of roster of Bronx Community Boards Veterans Committee status and Contact Person Info.
- All present provided input and completed Roll Call/Sign-In Sheet of Politicians.
- Reiterated impending visit by Veterans Task Force to Department of Veterans Services via office of Mayor Bill de Blasio for face-to-face conference with the Department of Veterans Services Veterans Representatives.

The Veterans Task Force will be meeting on Tuesday, September 18, 2018 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM and the Veterans Committee will be at 6:30 PM at the Bronx Community Board #6's district office.

Honorable Ritchie Torres,
Council Member, 15th Council District

Honorable Rafael Salamanca Jr.,
City Council Member, 17th Council District