



City of Doral Military Affairs Advisory Board Minutes

Thursday, August 4, 2016

Doral Government Center
3rd Floor Training Room
8401 NW 53 Terrace
Doral, FL 33166

1. Call to Order
2. **Roll Call of Members**

Meeting was called to order @ 10:10 a.m.

Carlos Rivero	Present
Brian George	Absent
Matheus Santos	Present
Deborah Prather	Present

Also in attendance was Adam Temple..

3. **Public Comments:** Mr. Colmenares from the City of Miami Military Advisory Board shared his experience and thoughts to the board. His goal is to provide veterans with substantial paying jobs that match what they earned in the military and to help them make the transition into civilian life. He mentioned an idea for an initiative to promote military members to live in Doral. He suggested the City provide Active Duty personnel with a stipend of the first and last month of the security deposit when seeking a lease in Doral.

4. **Agenda/Order of Business**
5. **Approval of Minutes** – Voted on approval of minutes: Deborah motioned to approve minutes. All in favor.

A. Agenda Item I – Veterans Day: The board mentioned reaching out to a JROTC program to support the City of Doral Veterans day celebration. Deborah would reach out to them.

B. Agenda Item II – Updates on housing programs/initiatives. Mr. Colmenares brought good ideas in regards to housing programs initiatives. The board will follow up on these ideas next meeting.

C. Agenda Item III – Military Discount Program. Mr. Temple reported great success and interest in the military discount program since its launch. The board will follow up next meeting.

6. Future Meeting Date – Carlos motioned for the next meeting to be September 1st at 10:00 AM. All in favor.

7. Adjournment - meeting adjourned at 10:53 AM.

Respectfully Submitted,



Matheus Santos, Secretary

Motion to approve the minutes of the August 4, 2016 Military Affairs Advisory Board Meeting made by Carlos Rivero and seconded by Matheus Santos

Board Member

Board Member

Board Member

Board Member



Carlos Rivero, Chair





