



# Blount County Government

359 Court Street  
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## Agenda - Final

### Veterans Affairs Committee

*Robin Ferschke, Gold Star Mother*  
*Larry Grant, American Legion Post 13*  
*Lloyd Hansen, VFW Post 5154*  
*Frank Kusiowski, Jr., AMVETS Post 22*  
*Steve Mikels, County Commissioner*  
*Cye Miles, VFW Post 10855*  
*Samuel "Ed" Shore, Military Order of Purple Heart Ch. 1814*  
*Jene Thompson, Disabled American Veterans Ch. 76*  
*Denise Weston, At Large Member*

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Wednesday, July 9, 2025

4:30 PM

Blount County Courthouse, Room 315

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Pledge of Allegiance

Opening Prayer

#### ROLL CALL

#### A. SETTING OF AGENDA.

#### B. PUBLIC INPUT ON ITEMS ON THE AGENDA.

#### C. APPROVAL OF MINUTES.

1. April 9, 2025 Meeting.

#### D. HIGHLIGHTS.

1. United Veterans of Blount County Memorial Day Program.
2. VA Benefits Brief to Vietnam Veterans that Served 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division.

#### E. OLD BUSINESS.

1. War Dead Memorial Monument, Memorial, Marker and Plaque Placement Application Form Update.
2. Assistant Director Donna Hatcher Retirement.

**3. Claims Management System Tyler Technologies.**

**F. NEW BUSINESS.**

**1. Hiring of Assistant VSO Jennifer Holmes and Status of Accreditation.**

**2. War Dead Memorial Monument Application Request.**

**G. PUBLIC INPUT ON ITEMS NOT ON AGENDA.**

**Closing Prayer**

**Retire the Colors**

**ADJOURNMENT**