

ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND RETIREE COUNCIL

MEETING MINUTES

Saturday, April 21, 2018

Council members present: Chair LTC (Retired) Nelson Laughton, Co-Chair SGM (Retired) Frank Yoakum COL (Retired) Jonas Vogelhut, COL (Retired) Terry Hodges (by phone), SGM (Retired) Robert Richardson, SSG (Retired) Genaro Flores, SSG (Retired) Rita Hewitt, SSG (Retired) Lionel Palmer, DHR Jill Brodbeck and RSO Ms. Betty Willard

Council members not present: CSM (Retired) Marty Angulo, 1SG (Retired) Lonzia Hawkins, MSG (Retired) Nancy West, and DHR Mrs. Janet Dettweiler.

The meeting was called to order at 9:00AM.

Topics of discussion:

The Council spent 90 minutes reviewing the programmatic elements of the upcoming Retiree Appreciation Day. This included such items as senior leader attendance; vendor update; signage to be placed around the installation; registration process; audio visual support; program layout; expo hall layout; parking; FreeState Challenge Academy support; certificates and other recognition of key participants; and meal service.

The Council also discussed the inaugural issue of its newsletter to be mailed to the retirees in Harford and Cecil Counties. The newsletter is nearing completion and is in final revisions before the Garrison Commander approves it. The goal is to publish on or before May 1.

There will be an In Process Review meeting to finalize the preparations for the Retiree Appreciation Day to be held in the Janet Barr 1st Floor conference room on Monday May 7th at 9:00am.

The Council meeting adjourned at 10:30AM.

Remaining Scheduled Council Meetings 2018

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May 7 (IPR)

May 11 (RAD Set-Up)

May 12 (RAD)

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