

**DEPARTMENT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE**  
**February 18, 2012**

The meeting of the Department Legislative Committee was called to order by Doug Williams, Chairman at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, February 18, 2012 in the Taft Room of the Holiday Inn Gateway Centre in Flint, Michigan. The following people were present:

MEMBERS: Doug Williams, Chairman, Ernest Ingles, Ken Dittenber, Bill Coffey was excused

GUESTS: 17 guests were present

**MINUTES:**

It was moved by Chairman and supported by Dittenber that the minutes of the past meeting of the Department Legislative Committee be approved. Motion carried.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

None

**NEW BUSINESS:**

The committee discussed the Department of Military and Veterans Affairs budget and the G.D. X. Report.

Chair informed the committee of meeting held at House and Senate hearings.

Department Commander Chatman stopped in and discussed the need for better communication on Legislative matters.

Chairman advised those present about the lawsuit and the Grand Rapids Home for Veterans.

**ADJOURNMENT**

There being no further business to come before this committee, it was moved by Chairman and supported by Ingles that the meeting be adjourned at 11:00 a.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Williams