Resolution 2010-1104

Veterans Assistance Commission Funding Process Change

WHEREAS, Ogle County Veteran's Assistance Commission (VAC) funding model has been such that VAC monies run through the County's books and FEIN number, including 1099s and audits; and

WHEREAS, the VAC has submitted bills to the Treasurer for payment with tax money distributed to their fund and held by the Treasurer; and

WHEREAS, The Ogle County board wishes to see the VAC funding model provide more timely distribution so that qualifying veterans receive financial aid at the time of their need without delay; and

WHEREAS, the HEW Committee has instructed the Veterans Assistance Commission and the Ogle County Treasurer to work together to establish new procedures for more timely funding; and

WHEREAS the following new procedures have been recommended:

- Effective December 1, 2010 all funds will be transferred to the Veterans Assistance Commission
- Veterans will pay all their own bills and do all their own books, including 1099s
- Audits will be performed as prescribed by statute or as requested by the HEW Committee under their own FIEN
- Tax money will be distributed directly to them and not held by the Ogle County Treasurer.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOVED that the Ogle County Board authorizes the new procedures as presented to ensure timely distribution of funds

Presented and Adopted at the November 16, 2010 Ogle County Board Meeting.

Attest:

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Rebecca Huntley, County Clerk

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W. Ed Rice, Chairman