

\*House Committee\*

## COMMITTEE MINUTES for VETERANS AFFAIRS

Date: *January 23, 2020*

Location: *RM 19*

Convened: *11:05 AM*

Adjourned: *11:25 AM*

### Attendance Roll Call:

Present: Representatives Salmon-CH, Gustafson-VC, Kurth-RM, Breckenridge, Brown-Powers, Hagenow, Hite, Jeneary, Kacena, Ourth, Smith, M., Sorensen, Thompson, Wheeler, Wills

Absent:

Excused: Representatives Bennett, Gaines

Chairperson Salmon called the meeting to order at 11:05 a.m.

Roll call was taken. Representatives Bennett and Gaines were excused.

The minutes were approved.

The following bills were assigned to subcommittee: [SF 280](#), [HSB 547](#), [HSB 548](#), [HSB 549](#), [HSB 550](#), [HF 2022](#)

A presentation was given by Mike Mortensen, President, IACCVSO, Polk County Veterans. He described the role, responsibilities and requirements of a county veteran service officer. Mr. Mortensen explained how they deal with county, state and federal benefits.

Floor was opened to questions.

As there was no further business to come before the committee, Representative Breckenridge moved to adjourn at 11:25 a.m.

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Representative Sandy Salmon

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Susan R. Foster, Committee Secretary