ORDER: AUTHORIZECOUNTY VETERAN OFFICER CHESTER STARK TO ATTEND ANNUAL TRAINING IN BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI ON OCTOBER 19-21, 2016

Motion was made by Chad McLarty, duly seconded by Mike Roberts, to authorize County Veteran Officer, Chester Stark, to attend annual training in Biloxi, MS on October 19-21, 2016.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Kevin Frye, voted yes Supervisor Jeff Busby, voted yes Supervisor David Rikard, voted yes Supervisor Chad McLarty, voted yes Supervisor Mike Roberts, voted yes

After the vote, President Busby, declared the motion carried, this the 12th day of September, 2016.

Jeff Busby, President

Board of Supervisors

Sherry Wall, Chancery Clerk

State of Mississippi

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REPRESENTATIVES FOR:

STATE VETERANS AFFAIRS BOARD AMERICAN LEGION AMERICAN RED CROSS VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS

State Veterans Affairs Board

MEMO

DATE: August 18, 2016

TO: Mississippi County Veteran Service Officers (CVSO)

REFERENCE: Information on October 2016 CVSO Training

The Mississippi Code 35-3-21 requires the County Veteran Service Officers to attend at least one of the annual schools of training provided by the MS State Veteran Affairs Board. Each person who attends the training is required to complete a registration form and to sign in each day to verify their attendance at the training.

The October training will be October 19-21, 2016 at the Lyman C. Bradford Jr., VFW Post 2434 which is located at 289 Veterans Ave, Biloxi, MS 39531. Sign in registration for this training will begin at 12 noon on Wednesday 10/19/16. Training will conclude before 12 noon on Friday.

I have reserved a block of rooms for those who will need overnight accommodations for October 19th and 20th, 2016 or for those who will need accommodations for October 18th, 19th, and 20th.

- 1) Doubletree by Hilton (formerly known as Four Points by Sheraton) is located at 940 Beach Blvd, Biloxi, MS 39530. The hotel is located across from the beach and is about 4 miles from the VFW Post. Reservations will need to be made before October 1, 2016 in order to be given the special pricing. Our group will be charged \$91 a night plus 12% sales tax. To make reservations call the hotel at (228) 546-3100 and indicate you are with Mississippi Veterans Affairs Board / County Veteran Service Officers Group. Be sure to let them know the agreed rate of \$91 per night based on the MS SVAB agreement. If you have tax exempt information be sure to present this to the hotel when you check in.
- 2) Days Inn (formerly known as Ramada Inn Limited) is located at 1768 Beach Blvd, Biloxi, MS 39531. The hotel is also located across from the beach and is close to the VFW Post and restaurants. Reservations will need to be made before October 1, 2016 in order to be given the special pricing. Our group will be charged \$62.96 per night plus 12% sales tax. To make reservations call (228) 432-1997 and refer to our group name MS State Veteran Affairs Board/ County Veteran Service Officers. If you have tax exempt information be sure to present this to the hotel when you check in. A free breakfast is included at this hotel.

Send your registration form to my office as soon as possible. Remember that Pre-Registration is required for anyone to attend the training. I look forward to seeing you in the near future. If you need additional information contact our office.

Sincerely,

BETTY MARTIN

SVAB CLAIMS DIVISION DIRECTOR

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