

Maryland Commission on Veterans and Military Families Meeting Agenda July 11, 2024 9:00am to 11:00am 16 Francis Street, Fourth Floor Conference Room Annapolis, Maryland

WELCOME 9:00-9:10

Dana Burl, DVMF, Program Director, Commission Chair

INTRODUCTIONS 9:10-9:35

Purpose: To meet and learn about commission members

In two minutes share name, title, representing entity/organization, relevant experience to the commission's purpose, and the 'WHY'

SETTING THE STAGE 9:35-9:50

Purpose: To understand commission expectations, hear building blocks identified during the 2024 legislative session, and discuss existing data on Maryland's veterans and military families

STRENGTHS, WEAKNESSES, OPPORTUNITIES, & THREATS (SWOT) ANALYSIS 9:50-10:20 Purpose: To identify and analyze Maryland's service to veterans and military families and to use outcomes to lay the foundation for developing goals for making Maryland the 'best state' for this population

IDENTIFYING GAPS & SETTING GOALS ACTIVITY

10:20-10:45

10:45-10:55

Purpose: Based on SWOT outcomes, identify 5-7 gaps and create visionary goals for each

ORGANIZING THE TEAM

Purpose: Return to building blocks and join work groups

CLOSING 10:55-11:00

Purpose: Wrap up and set stage for August meeting

Meeting Calendar:

Meetings will be the second Thursday of the month from 9:00am-12:00pm in the Annapolis area

August 8, 2024

September 12, 2024

October 10, 2024

November 14, 2024

December 12, 2024 (seeking an offsite location for a special 'thank you' meeting)