



Commission on Veterans Affairs



MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, November 17, 2020

6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Wayne Miller, Chair – Bob Koffman, Vice-Chair
VIA ZOOM

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- 6:00 **Welcome, Pledge of Allegiance, Moment of Silence & POW/MIA Remembrance, Approval of October 2020 Meeting Minutes** – *Wayne Miller, Chair*
- 6:10 **Introduction of Miguel Sapp, Veterans Benefits Specialist for Montgomery County** – *Phil Munley - Director Veteran Service Program, Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs*
- 6:20 **Veteran Institute for Procurement** – *Barbara Ashe, Executive Vice-President, Montgomery County Chamber of Commerce and Director & Founder at Veteran Institute for Procurement*
<https://www.mcccmd.com/barbara-ashe.html>
- 7:00 **Promoting Mental and Physical Wellness** – *Mike Subin - Homefront Cable TV*
<https://www.montgomerycountymd.gov/CCM/homefront.html>
Bob Koffman - President's Roadmap to Empower Veterans and End a National Tragedy of Suicide (PREVENTS) (<https://www.reach.gov/>)
Jonathan Alfaro - Fentanyl Epidemic
- 7:20 **Updates**
- 7:30 **Adjourn**

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