



# Beyond the Yellow Ribbon of Chaska



## Beyond the Yellow Ribbon of Chaska Steering Committee Meeting Chaska Community Center Wednesday November 3, 2021 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Call to Order -- Libby Fairchild

Introductions: Libby Fairchild, Julie Weckman, Dan Tengwall, Gayle Degler, Greg Boe,  
Pat Wittrock, Dan Skripka, Bob Fairchild

Approve Agenda – Approved with Addition

Approve Minutes - Dan Skripka - Approved

Treasurer's Report – Bob Fairchild - Accepted

\$250 check for meals, \$1250 received from 3M

New Business

- History of BTYR of Chaska and Membership – Libby Fairchild
- Joint Meeting with BTYR of Chanhassen (10/21) -- Dan Skripka  
Chanhassen has 4 core members, Chaska has 6, NYA has 9. Quarterly or monthly Zoom meetings?  
Veterans Council – 16 organizations, CVAP for smaller grants (deposit for apt rent, car payment)  
What is the intake/screen process for applicants, to refer them to loans, grants (bus pass, wireless)
- Holiday Meals – Christmas Another \$250 approved for Christmas
- 3 page checklist for BTYR program requirements. Resolution of support from city leaders.
- Veterans Day Event – Due to Covid, will be a lighter outside event, Chaska Middle School West 0840

Old Business:

- Golf Tournament Donation to MACV - Libby Fairchild, will check with John Lavold for Dec Meeting  
\$20,000 approved, Nov 3, an additional \$5000 approved on Nov 15. So total donation of \$25,000
- Review Donation Announcements -- Julie Weckman  
Donation of \$10,000 received from NFL for this year.  
Possible Future donations from Lund (Boats) , Malibu, and Rapid Marine in Shakopee  
Next year event schedule for Monday September 19 2022.
- Senior Dinner/Partnering with BTYR of Chanhassen -- Pat Wittrock  
Estimated 15-20 military students, will print RSVP cards to give to the school to pass to the students.  
Rental discount \$375 to \$175, Sat May 7, 3:30-4pm check-in. Pat is working on getting the speaker.
- Veteran of the Month Initiative -- Julie Weckman/Libby Fairchild  
Application on the website,
- BTYR of Chaska 10 Year Anniversary
- Holiday Meals – Thanksgiving, \$250 was Approved,
- Holiday Cards (Partner with Carver County Historical Society)  
Around 450 cards to be signed and sent to the veterans' homes.

