

**Town of Garner
Veterans Advisory Committee Agenda
Monday, 09 March 2026
0900 hrs., White Deer Park Nature Center**

I. Call to Order

John Foster - Chair

- a. Approval of Agenda
- b. Approval of Meeting Minutes (December 8, 2025)

II. Petitions and Comments from the Public

III. Report from Standing Committees and Staff

- a. Observances
 - i. Veterans Day Observance: Nov 11, 2026
 - Keynote for 2026
 - ii. Wreath Across America and Gold Star Families: December 2026
 - iii. Salute to Troops: Set a Date for 2026
 - iv. Memorial Day Observance: May 25, 2026
 - Keynote speaker
 - v. Independence Day Celebration: July 3, 2026, Lake Benson Park
- b. VFW, Aux -
- c. AL, SAL, Riders, Aux -
- d. DAV -

IV. Old Business

- a. Memorial brick order
- b. Memorial Update
 - Names on wall of veterans who have died who are not Garner residents; - Tim Stevens
 - Flag Poles
 - Path around Memorial
- c. Veteran's Day Parade
- d. Event Committee
 - i. May 4, 2026 - 0900 (3 weeks before Memorial Day event), White Deer Park Nature Center
 - ii. Suggest that it be the following to form that committee
 - Chair
 - Co-Chair
 - Secretary
 - Stake holders
 - TOG personnel involved with event
- e. Bylaws Update - Approved by TOG Council 20 January 2026

V. New Business

- a. Nominations of Committee Officers (elections in June)
- b. Next Regular Meeting: June 8, 2026 - 0900, 2nd Monday of the month (every third month), White Deer Park Nature Center

VI. Adjourn