

Meeting Minutes
Tolland Veterans Recognition Commission
May 19th, 2011 7:00 pm
6th Level Small Conference Room
Town Hall, 21 Tolland Green

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.
2. Members present: Frederick W. Frey, Paul Query and Richard E. Tapp.
3. Tolland's Veterans Memorials for the state of Connecticut is in near completion.
4. A photo of Airman Devon J. Roper, presently serving, has been added to the Wall of Honor. WWII Merchant Marine seaman Carl B. Kareski has been added to the Wall of Honor.
5. We continue to seek returning veterans to hold welcome home ceremonies. There has been no response to prior articles or families.
6. Joseph O'Brien a writer for Tolland Patch was a guest at the meeting. He interviewed and took photos of members present. His article and photos of the Memorials can be seen on Tolland Patch.com. Look under Veterans Recognition Commission.
7. During the Memorial Day Parade, the doors located at the Public Works entrance were open to the public to view the Wall of Honor. I had two signs made which read: "TOLLAND VETERANS WALL OF HONOR" I put the signs out and picked them up. The Town has reimbursed me the \$51.
8. The Meeting was adjourned at 8: 30pm.

Richard E. Tapp
Chairman