

## HAVM MINUTES – May 6, 2026

PRESENT: Jim Mataczynski, Rhonda Mataczynski, Dave Staudacher, Ronnie Arts, Georgia Arts, Walt Johnson, Ron Jiskra, Mark Webert, Tim Marshall, LaVern Capek, Joy Cote (Cornell Courier), Jeff Anders, Sue Staudacher, Rick Mitchell, Chuck Anderson came late.

Call to order and pledge at 7 PM

We had a quorum

Agenda Approved

Secretary report – Motion to approve – T Marshall/2<sup>nd</sup> M Webert – MC

Treasurer report - \$1600 for cans did not make it to bank – Electric bill has increased.

Motion to approve – D Staudacher/2<sup>nd</sup> R Arts – MC

### Discussion on Motion Items

1. Fundraiser – Memorial Weekend
  - a. Tent has already been paid for from March
  - b. Have several vendors
  - c. Jiffy Biffy will give us 2 as usual
  - d. Food is being done by Holcombe United Methodist Church with proceeds going to their Peace Garden
2. Recognizing graduating seniors going into the military
  - a. Holcombe has a young woman signed for the Navy – Lexi Hoffner
  - b. Chairman Jim will represent our veteran group at graduation
3. Memorial Day Service at Site
  - a. Placement of wreath at 8AM
  - b. Motion by J Mataczynski/2<sup>nd</sup> R Mataczynski that Dave and Sue Staudacher have the honor of placing the wreath -MC
4. Golf Outing sponsored by Anders Landscaping
  - a. Discussion as to how and who is coordinating this event.
  - b. Proceeds are to go towards veterans needing help
  - c. Tentatively scheduled for July 25 at Entwood
5. Chairman's report
  - a. Jim is working with the DNR to renew permit – it should be here tomorrow
  - b. Jim and Georgia are working on applying for grants but are running into some obstacles
  - c. If we could get services for veterans up here it would open up funds. Might need to put out a survey as to the needs of our local veterans. They will connect and discuss further.
  - d. Talked to Rob Summerfield regarding a road sign for our Memorial and we were told that it would begin to happen until January 2027 but they are more than willing to help.

### Further Discussion

1. Jim mentioned that since he is no longer the town treasurer our group has the need for a treasurer to be able to account for the funds we bring in. Sue Staudacher graciously agreed.

THANK YOU SUE!

2,. Walt was not able to obtain the right size flags from the American Legion so Jim will be ordering them from Freedom Flag again. We will see about getting polyester instead of nylon.

Motion to adjourn L. Capek/2<sup>nd</sup> T Marshall – MC

Rhonda won the pot – let it ride

Meeting adjourned at 8:25

Respectfully submitted – Rhonda Mataczynski - Secretary