



# Thurston County Veterans Advisory Board

The purpose of the Veterans Advisory Board is to advise the Thurston County Board of County Commissioners (BoCC) on the needs of local indigent veterans, the resources available to local indigent veterans and programs that could benefit the needs of local indigent veterans and their families.

**Chair:** William Powell

**Vice Chair:** Vacant

**Secretary:** Brandon Frawley

**Terms of Office:** Appointments are for three-year terms.

**Members:** A maximum of nine advisory board members.

**Meetings:** The Veterans Advisory Board meets quarterly on the third Monday of January, April, July and October from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. Meetings are held at Lacey Veterans Hub, 4232 6th Ave St. SE, Suite 202, Lacey, WA 98503 unless otherwise posted. Other meeting times may be scheduled by the Veterans Advisory Board or upon request by county staff.

**Staff Contact:** Ashley Strauss, Public Health & Social Services, (360) 867-8236, [ashley.strauss@co.thurston.wa.us](mailto:ashley.strauss@co.thurston.wa.us).

**Qualifications of Board Members:** The board is comprised entirely of veterans who are residents of Thurston County. A majority of the advisory board members must be elected officers or members of nationally recognized veterans organizations located in Thurston County as evidenced by written notice from the nationally recognized veterans' organization.

**Who Appoints:** By the Board of County Commissioners.

**Vacancies filled by:** Upon a vacancy in any position on the advisory board, a successor shall be selected and appointed by the BoCC to fill the unexpired term.

**Removal is by:** Advisory board members serve at the pleasure of the BoCC and may be removed by majority vote of the BoCC. If a member of the advisory board misses two consecutive advisory board meetings without adequate excuse, the advisory board may request removal of that member by the BoCC.

**Authority:** Thurston County Code Chapter 2.122 and Veterans Relief Act, ch. 73.08 RCW, as amended by Chapter 250, Laws of 2005.

**Compensation:** None.

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**Updated: October 2021**



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## Thurston County Veteran's Advisory Board members:

1. **William Powell**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

### District 2

743 Vine Maple Dr SE

Lacey, WA 98503

Home: 360-493-0607 Cell: 360-628-3653

Email: [willbp@hotmail.com](mailto:willbp@hotmail.com)

Date Appointed: 10/1/2018

Date Term Expires: 9/30/2021

10/1/2021

Date Term Expires: 9/30/2024

2. **Lisa Narciso**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

### District 2

1411 Chatham Dr SE

Olympia, WA 98513

Cell: 360-584-3247

Email: [narcisoliza@gmail.com](mailto:narcisoliza@gmail.com)

Date Appointed: 8/1/2018

Date Term Expires: 8/1/2021

8/1/2021

Date Term Expires: 8/1/2024

3. **Matthew Huot**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

### District 3

317 Nine Bark St NW

Olympia, WA 98502

Cell: 603-630-0356

E-mail: [matt@huotlaw.com](mailto:matt@huotlaw.com)

Date Appointed: 8/23/2016

Date Term Expires: 7/31/2019

Date Appointed: 10/1/2021

Date Term Expires: 10/1/2024

4. **Jason Matheney**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

### District 1

2611 10<sup>th</sup> Ct SE

Olympia, WA 98501

Cell: 808-783-8644

E-mail: [jmthne1@gmail.com](mailto:jmthne1@gmail.com)

Date Appointed: 10/01/2020

Date Term Expires: 9/30/2023



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5. **Brandon Frawley**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

**District 2**

7649 13<sup>th</sup> Ave NE

Olympia, WA 98516

Cell: 360-402-7135

E-mail: [brandonfrawley@yahoo.com](mailto:brandonfrawley@yahoo.com)

Date Appointed: 10/01/2020 Date Term Expires: 9/30/2023

6. **Heather Miles**, Veteran, Nationally Recognized Veterans Organization

**District 1**

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Lacey, WA 98503

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Date Appointed: 11/01/2021 Date Term Expires: 11/01/2024

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