

# SAN DIEGO MESA COLLEGE

## Veterans Advisory Committee

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### Thursday May 11, 2017 Agenda

- A. Call the meeting to order
- B. Approval of Minutes
- C. Old Business
- D. New Business
  - 2017-2018 VAC Schedule
  - Veteran Writers Storytelling Showcase
  - Scholarships
  - Inaugural Veterans Graduation Ceremony
  - Website
  - Acknowledgements
- E. Announcements
- F. Roundtable and Adjournment

**Next Meeting:**  
*September 14, 2017*  
*3 – 4 pm*

### Mission Statement

The San Diego Mesa College Veterans Services Program promotes a culture of collaboration within the campus and surrounding community to increase awareness and sensitivity to matters concerning veterans, active duty and their dependents. The program creates and sustains an encouraging environment by acknowledging, honoring, and addressing veterans' unique needs. This is accomplished by providing veterans with the resources, support and advocacy needed to achieve their educational and professional goals.