



California Association of County Veterans Service Officers, Inc.

AGENDA

Summer Professional Training Conference

June 20 – June 24, 2022

Sunday, June 19, 2022		
5:00 pm	Association Meet and Greet	Embassy Suites
6:30 pm	Executive Committee Meeting	
8:00 pm	Adjourn	
Regular Agenda Monday, June 20, 2022		
8:00 am	Registration	
8:30 am	Committee Meetings	
10:00 am	General Business Meeting (CACVSO Members Only)	
12:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 pm	Presentation of Colors - Chumash Tribal Color Guard National Anthem – Karen and Julie Evans Pledge of Allegiance – Harry Hitching, CACVSO Association SGT at Arms Invocation - Grant Gaustche, CACVSO Association Chaplain Welcome Address: Supervisor Bruce Gibson: Chair, San Luis Obispo County Board of Supervisors Ms. Rebecca Campbell: San Luis Obispo County Assistant County Administrative Officer and Navy Veteran	

	<i>Mr. Dan Dow: San Luis Obispo County District Attorney and Army Reservist</i> <i>Van Curaza: Founder of Operation Surf</i>	
1:30 pm	CalVet Welcome and updates: <i>Mr. Roberto Herrera, Assistant Deputy Secretary, Veteran Services Division.</i>	
2:00 pm	CalVet Board - <i>Mr. Hugh E. Crooks, Jr., Chair, California Veterans Board</i>	
2:45 pm	H-Wave Introduction - <i>Ms. Tamara Ebert, Associate Vice President of Veteran Affairs</i>	
2:50 pm	Break	
3:00 pm	CSAAVE - <i>Mr. Shane Ferrebee, CALVET</i>	Virtual
3:45 pm	CalVet District Office Managers: <i>Zmae Raymundo, Oakland; Alberto Alpasan, Los Angeles; * Melaina Anker, San Diego</i>	*Virtual
4:45 pm	CalVet - Prop 63 Recap – <i>Mr. Sam Griffin, Manager, CalVet</i>	Virtual
5:00 pm	Adjourn	
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Dinner and Museum Tours – Veterans Hall	Optional

Regular Agenda Tuesday, June 21, 2022

8:00 am	Veterans Benefits Administration, CA Regional Directors – <i>Jamie Cannon, LA RO, Sergio Chao, Oakland RO, Pat Prieb, SD RO</i>	Virtual
9:00 am	Veterans Experience Action Center (VEAC) – <i>Cajun Comeau Veterans Experience Office</i>	Virtual
9:45 am	Break	
10:00 am	H-Wave - <i>Ms. Tamara Ebert, Associate Vice President of Veteran Affairs</i>	

10:20 am	Solid Rock – <i>Delores Guerrero</i>	
10:30 am	Legislative Updates – <i>Mr. Seth Reeb</i>	Virtual
10:45 am	Pension Maintenance Center – Accrued Benefits – <i>Mr. Nicholas Welsch</i>	Virtual
12:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	Compassion Fatigue - <i>Dr. Anna Kumor, Ventura County Employee Assistance Program Manager</i>	
2:00 pm	Break	
2:15 pm	VetPro Overview and Training - <i>Dave Steer, Marion Moses, Jeff VonWaldburg</i>	
3:15 pm	Break	
3:30 pm	VBA , <i>Kimberly Dickerson, Rating Quality Review Specialist</i>	Virtual
5:00 pm	Adjourn	
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Social Night at Dairy Creek Golf Course Sponsored by Legacy Village	Optional

Wednesday – June 22, 2022

REGULAR AGENDA

8:00 am	Board of Veterans Appeals , <i>Judge Cory Picton</i>	
9:15 am	CHAMPVA, Spina Bifida, Foreign Medical Program - <i>Luke Davis, Chief Document Control Data Management/Eligibility Enrollment Verification</i>	Virtual

10:00 am	Break	
10:15 am	Featured County Presentation – <i>David West, CVSO, Nevada County</i>	
10:30 am	Recent Court Cases That Impact Veterans and CVSO's – Veterans - <i>Katrina Eagle, Veterans Law Attorney and Jim Radogna, VA Accredited Agent</i>	
12:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	Open Forum Q&A <i>Katrina Eagle, Veterans Law Attorney and Jim Radogna, VA Accredited Agent</i>	
3:00 pm	Adjourn	
5:00 pm	75th Anniversary Banquet – Formal Attire	
Regular Agenda Thursday – June, 23, 2022		
9:00 am	Small Business Administration – <i>Mr. George Flores, Deputy District Director, Fresno District Office</i>	
9:30 am	Preparing for Audit - <i>Jason Cameron, CVSO Monterey County</i>	
10:00 am	VBA, Work Study Program – <i>Kendra Stewart and Kevin White, Muskogee Education Processing Center</i>	Virtual
10:45 am	VBA, Recoupment of Severance/Disability Severance/Separation Pay – <i>Alexandria Simmons, VSC Coach, Los Angeles Regional Office</i>	Virtual
11:30 am	Association Lunch	
1:00 pm	Program of Comprehensive Caregiver Program – <i>Ms. Nicole Browning, SW Supervisor, WLA VA Caregiver Support Program</i>	
2:00 pm	Suicide Prevention – <i>Dr. Richard Braverman, LA VHA, Mr. Robert Merchant; *Dr. Sharon Birman, Chief, Suicide Prevention, VA Greater Los Angeles Healthcare System, Dr. Nicole Beckman</i>	*Virtual

3:00 pm	Break	
3:15 pm	Featured County Presentation – <i>Harry Hitchings, CVSO, Modoc County</i>	
3:30 pm	Wrap-Up , <i>President Rhonda Murphy</i>	
3:45 pm	General Business Meeting (Members Only)	
5:00 pm	Adjourn	
5:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Self-Guided Farmers Market Night	Optional
<div> <div>Regular Agenda</div> <div>Friday – June 24, 2022</div> </div>		
8:00 am	Self Help	