



Annual Internal Review

This report covers the time period of 7/1/2016 to 6/30/2017

Commission on Veterans Affairs

(Official Name of Board or Commission)

The Commission mission statement (per the City Code) is:

Serve as an advisory body to the council concerning the wellbeing of military veterans in the Austin area. The commission shall evaluate and recommend programs, policies, and practices designed to alleviate veteran's difficulties in meeting basic needs, obtaining housing, employment, and comprehensive mental health assistance; and act as a central clearinghouse for information relating to the status of veterans in the Austin community.

- 1. Describe the board's actions supporting their mission during the previous calendar year. Address all elements of the board's mission statement as provided in the relevant sections of the City Code.**

During the previous calendar year the Commission on Veterans Affairs was able to present a Resolution Recommendation Number: 20170419-4.d for Council to consider and approve a resolution directing the City Manager to draft a business plan related to establishing a Veterans Resource Center.(Notes: SPONSOR: Council Member Ann Kitchen CO 1: Mayor Steve Adler CO 2: Council Member Leslie Pool CO 3: Council Member Sabino "Pio" Renteria) — item 35 on Thursday, June 22, 2017 Austin City Council Agenda

- 2. Determine if the board's actions throughout the year comply with the mission statement.**

Yes, the board's actions throughout the year complied with the mission statement.

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3. List the board's goals and objectives for the new calendar year.

**Veterans Business Enterprise (VBE), Veterans Plaza, Veterans
Business Loan, Veterans Resource Center**