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**Military and Veteran Affairs Committee**  
**Wednesday, March 18, 2020**  
**9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.**  
**American Job Center Hawaii - Oahu**  
**1505 Dillingham Blvd., Rm. 110, Honolulu, Hawaii 96817**

**AGENDA**

- I. Call to Order ..... Chair, MG Rick Richardson
- II. Approval of Minutes from the November 20, 2019 Meeting.... ..... Chair Richardson
- III. Presentation on State-Level Benefits for Veterans by Kayla Williams, Senior Fellow and Director, Military, Veterans, and Society Program, Center for a New American Security.
  - State-level benefits for veterans: how does Hawaii State benefits for veterans compare with other states? Is there a correlation between state-level benefits for veterans and transitioning service members choosing to stay in Hawaii to work?
- IV. Presentation on the Semper Fi Fund/America’s Fund by Angela Farr, West Coast Team.
  - Service provider of resources and support for the wounded, ill, and injured members of the U.S. Armed Forces and their families. The success of the transition and integrative wellness programs provide a talent pool of skilled, confident veterans.
- V. Update on Onward to Opportunity (O2O) by Michael A. Quitania, Program Manager, Hawaii Pacific Region.
  - O2O is a no-cost career training program providing professional certification and support services to transitioning service members, veterans and military spouses. A presenter at a previous M-VAC meeting, Mr. Quitania will highlight the program’s growth and success in Hawaii.
- VI. Military Spouse Subcommittee Update .....Roman Galiki
- VII. Announcements
  - A. Members announce upcoming events.
  - B. Next meeting is May 20, 2020, 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. at the American Job Center.
- VIII. Adjournment .....Chair Richardson

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