



Town of Camp Verde Vision Statement

"Camp Verde is welcoming, a safe community, a vibrant economy, thoughtfully growing, and offering an exceptional quality of life."

**AMENDED AGENDA
TOWN OF CAMP VERDE
SPECIAL SESSION
MAYOR AND COUNCIL
473 S. MAIN STREET, SUITE 106
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 26, 2025 at 5:00 ~~6:00~~ P.M.**

ZOOM MEETING LINK:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87146251537?pwd=8w0nfFDqqOjSdbABCRHe5JY1UVEhCR.1>

one Tap Mobile: 1-253-215-8782 or 1-346-248-7799

Meeting ID: 871 4625 1537

Passcode: 429944

Note: Council member(s) may attend Council Sessions either in person, by telephone, or internet/video conferencing.

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call.** Council Members Brian Bolton, Wendy Escoffier, Robert Foreman, Robin Godwin, Jessie Murdock, Vice Mayor Marie Moore, and Mayor Dee Jenkins.
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Special Announcements and Presentations.** All presentations are limited to 15-minutes.
 - **Proclamation declaring March 29, 2025 as Vietnam War Veterans Day.** Staff Resource: Town Clerk Leah Rhodes.
5. **Presentation and discussion about local emergency management with representatives from APS, Yavapai County Emergency Management, Copper Canyon Fire & Medical District as well as Camp Verde Marshal's Office, Utilities, and Public Works.** Staff Resource: Town Manager Miranda Fisher.

6. **Adjournment**

Note: Upon a public majority vote of a quorum of the Town Council, the Council may hold an executive session, which will not be open to the public, regarding any item listed on the agenda but only for the purpose of discussion or consultation for legal advice with the Town Attorney as permitted by A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3). Any other executive sessions will be separately included on the agenda above if an executive session will be held at the meeting.

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-431.01 Meetings shall be open to the public - All meetings of any public body shall be public meetings and all persons so desiring shall be permitted to attend and listen to the deliberations and proceedings. All legal action of public bodies shall occur during a public meeting. Pursuant to Town Code, Section 2-3-7.1 the Mayor shall call for a vote of the Council to allow the meeting to continue past the deadline of 10:00 p.m. The Town of Camp Verde

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CERTIFICATION OF POSTING OF NOTICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing notice was duly posted at the Town of Camp Verde and Bashas on 03-25-2025 at 12:00 p.m. in accordance with the statement filed by the Camp Verde Town Council with the Town Clerk

Leah Rhodes

Leah Rhodes, Town Clerk



Town Council Agenda Information Memorandum

Meeting Date: March 26, 2025

Agenda Item Type:

- ☐ Consent Agenda ☒ Informational Presentation ☐ Discussion Item
☐ Action/Decision Item ☐ Executive Session Request ☐ Other:

Requesting Department: Town Clerk

Staff Resource: Town Clerk Leah Rhodes

Agenda Title: Proclamation declaring March 29, 2025 as Vietnam War Veterans Day.

Attached Documents: Proclamation

Estimated Presentation Time: 5 minutes

Estimated Discussion Time: 5 minutes

Reviewed By:

- ☒ Town Manager ☐ Legal ☐ Risk Management ☐ Finance ☐ Other:

Financial Review (if applicable): N/A

- Funding Source / GL Account Number:
- Approved in the FY25 Budget? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A ☐ Other:
- Is this an approved CIP Project? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ N/A ☐ Other:

Background Information:

Vietnam War Veterans Day provides each American the opportunity to recognize the service, sacrifice and bravery of the men and women of the United States Armed Forces who fought in the Southeast Asian conflict to protect our great nation and preserve democracy.

Question(s) before the Council:

- Does Council have any questions for staff?

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PROCLAMATION
Designating March 29, 2025, as
VIETNAM WAR VETERANS DAY

WHEREAS, President Donald Trump signed into law the Vietnam War Veterans Recognition Act of 2017; and

WHEREAS, this law officially designates March 29th as the day on which Americans will observe Vietnam War Veterans Day each year; and

WHEREAS, Vietnam War Veterans Day provides every American the opportunity to recognize, with great pride and admiration, the service, sacrifice and bravery of the men and women of the United States Armed Forces who fought in the Southeast Asian conflict to protect our great nation and preserve democracy; and

WHEREAS, Vietnam War Veterans Day provides each American the opportunity to proudly display the American Flag – the greatest symbol of freedom the world has ever known – to honor the over three million veterans who served in combat and support operations for eleven years; and

WHEREAS, Vietnam War Veterans Day provides each American the opportunity to pray for the over fifty-eight thousand U.S. troops killed or missing in action and the hundreds of thousands wounded and injured; and

WHEREAS, Vietnam War Veterans Day gives every American the opportunity to say: “Thank you and welcome home” to veterans who returned home perhaps not to a hero’s welcome, but to a divided nation, and were often met with hostility or indifference.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Mayor and Common Council of the Town of Camp Verde to hereby proclaim March 29, 2025, to be:

Vietnam War Veterans Day

Passed and approved by a majority vote of the Common Council at the Special Session of March 26, 2025.

Dee Jenkins, Mayor

Date

Attest:

Leah Rhodes, Town Clerk

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Requesting Department: Town Manager

Staff Resource: Town Manager Miranda Fisher

Agenda Title: Presentation and discussion about local emergency management with representatives from APS, Yavapai County Emergency Management, Copper Canyon Fire & Medical District as well as Camp Verde Marshal's Office, Utilities, and Public Works.

Attached Documents: None. Handouts may be provided at the meeting.

Estimated Presentation Time: 1 hour

Estimated Discussion Time: 30 minutes

Reviewed By:

- ☒ Town Manager ☐ Legal ☐ Risk Management ☐ Finance ☐ Other:

Financial Review (if applicable): N/A

- Funding Source / GL Account Number:
- Approved in the FY25 Budget? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A ☐ Other:
- Is this an approved CIP Project? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A ☐ Other:

Background Information:

The purpose of this agenda item is to provide the Town Council with an overview of local emergency management efforts and coordination among key agencies. Representatives from APS, Yavapai County Emergency Management, Copper Canyon Fire & Medical District, Camp Verde Marshal's Office, Utilities, and Public Works will be present. The discussion will center around current emergency response protocols, interagency coordination and communication strategies, preparedness efforts, including public outreach and training opportunities, etc.

Connection to the [FY25-FY30 Strategic Plan](#)

Being prepared for emergencies is a key aspect of effective governance, allowing the Town Council to proactively safeguard the community while strengthening partnerships with local agencies.

Question(s) before the Council:

- Does the Town Council have any questions for the emergency preparedness representatives present at the meeting?