

GOVERNOR KIM REYNOLDS
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IOWA DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS AND IOWA VETERANS HOME COMMANDANT TODD JACOBUS

Public Meeting re: Administrative Rules: Chapters 2,3,4 and 6

October 8, 2025

Facilitator: Mike Olson, Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Legislative Liasion

2:00 pm: Chapter 2 "Petitions for Rulemaking"

Present: Mike Olson-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs, Dave Grimm-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Disabled American Veterans, Joella Perry-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Iowa Association of County Veteran Services, Mike Mortensen-Iowa Association of County Veteran Services Legislative Liasion, Emily Russell-Iowa Governors Office, Karl Lettow-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Public Information Officer.

The purpose of the meeting is to solicit comments regarding revisions to Iowa Administrative Code 801-Chapter 2 "Petitions for Rulemaking".

This proposed rulemaking is intended to update the reference to the Uniform Rules on Agency Procedure as well as contact information for petitions for rulemaking and inquiries.

IDVA will take all comments into consideration when drafting the final rule, and there will be an additional opportunity for public comment once the Notice of Intended Action is published with a meeting time in the future.

Statutory Authority:

Iowa Code section or chapter authorizing rulemaking: IA Code Chapter 17A State laws implemented by the rule making: IA Code Chapter 17 A Reason for the proposed rule: To comply with Executive Order 10, Red Tape Review

Accepting Comment:
No Comment Received

Adjourned at 2:04 pm

2:30 pm: Chapter 3 "Declaratory Orders"

Present: Mike Olson-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs, Dave Grimm-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Disabled American Veterans, Joella Perry-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Iowa Association of County Veteran Services, Mike Mortensen-Iowa Association of County Veteran Services Legislative Liasion, Emily Russell-Iowa Governors Office, Karl Lettow-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Public Information Officer.

The purpose of the meeting is to solicit comments regarding revisions to Iowa Administrative Code 801-Chapter 3 "Declaratory Orders".

This proposed rulemaking is intended to update the reference to the Uniform Rules on Agency Procedure as well as contact information for petitions for declaratory orders.



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Statutory Authority:

Iowa Code section or chapter authorizing rulemaking: IA Code Chapter 17A State laws implemented by the rule making: IA Code Chapter 17 A Reason for the proposed rule: To comply with Executive Order 10, Red Tape Review

Accepting Comment:
No Comment Received

Adjourned at 2:34 pm

3:00 pm: Chapter 4 "Agency Procedure for Rulemaking"

Present: Mike Olson-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs, Dave Grimm-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Disabled American Veterans, Joella Perry-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Iowa Association of County Veteran Services, Mike Mortensen-Iowa Association of County Veteran Services Legislative Liasion, Emily Russell-Iowa Governors Office, Karl Lettow-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Public Information Officer.

The purpose of the meeting is to solicit comments regarding revisions to Iowa Administrative Code 801-Chapter 4 "Agency Procedure for Rulemaking".

This proposed rulemaking is intended to update the reference to the Uniform Rules on Agency Procedure.

IDVA will take all comments into consideration when drafting the final rule, and there will be an additional opportunity for public comment once the Notice of Intended Action is published with a meeting time in the future.

Statutory Authority:

Iowa Code section or chapter authorizing rulemaking: IA Code Chapter 17A State laws implemented by the rule making: IA Code Chapter 17 A Reason for the proposed rule: To comply with Executive Order 10, Red Tape Review

Accepting Comment:

Dave Grimm: 4.11(1) A space needs added between NW 70th and Avenue Joella Perry, Mike Olson and Emily Russell stated they have a space on their copies.

Adjourned at 3:04 pm



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3:30 pm: Chapter 6 "Fair Information Practices"

Present: Mike Olson-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs, Dave Grimm-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Disabled American Veterans, Joella Perry-Iowa Commission of Veterans Affairs Rules Committee member and representing the Iowa Association of County Veteran Services, Mike Mortensen-Iowa Association of County Veteran Services Legislative Liasion, Emily Russell-Iowa Governors Office, Karl Lettow-Iowa Department of Veterans Affairs Public Information Officer.

The purpose of the meeting is to solicit comments regarding revisions to Iowa Administrative Code 801-Chapter 6 "Fair Information Practices".

This proposed rulemaking is intended to allow the Department to receive requests for access to records, conform with current medical technology, and update contact information. IDVA will take all comments into consideration when drafting the final rule, and there will be an additional opportunity for public comment once the Notice of Intended Action is published with a meeting time in the future.

Statutory Authority:

Iowa Code section or chapter authorizing rulemaking: IA Code Chapter 17A, 21 and 22 State laws implemented by the rule making: IA Code Chapter 17A,21 and 22 Reason for the proposed rule: To comply with Executive Order 10, Red Tape Review

Accepting Comment:
No Comment Received

Adjourned at 3:30 pm