



## TOWN OF MARBLETOWN

A regular meeting of the Town Board of the Town of Marbletown was convened in public session at the Town Hall, 1925 Lucas Ave Cottekill, New York on August 6, 2019 at 7:00 o'clock P.M. local time. The meeting was called to order by Supervisor Rich Parete, and, upon roll being called, the following were:

PRESENT:

ABSENT:

The following Resolution was offered by \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by \_\_\_\_\_ to wit:

### **RESOLUTION # -2019; CREATING VETERANS COMMITTEE**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Marbletown wishes to promote and support veterans ceremonies, events and other activities in the Town of Marbletown, and

**WHEREAS**, a Veterans Committee would assist veterans and their families, as appropriate, in cooperation with other organizations and agencies, and

**WHEREAS**, a Veterans Committee would create awareness of the issues faced by veterans and maintain a forum for Town veterans to give feedback on issues that affect their lives, and

**NOW THEREFOR BE IT RESOLVED**, the Town Board of the Town Marbletown create a Veterans Committee, and

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, the makeup and charge of the Veterans Committee is as follows;

## Veterans Committee

The Town of Marbletown is proud to honor its veterans for their courage and sacrifice. The Veterans Committee spans age, gender and ethnicity.

- This committee consists of five (5) veterans, civic leaders that have been advocates for the veteran community and citizens that have expertise in veterans' affairs. Each member is appointed by the Town Board and serves at the discretion of the Town Board. All positions on the advisory committee are volunteer. The Veterans committee is dedicated to recognizing the sacrifice and service of Marbletown's veterans and their families and to leverage local, state and national agencies for the betterment of our veterans.

### **Objectives:**

- Honor and recognize veterans through publication of awards and milestones
- Organize and resource a yearly veteran's celebration
- Provide a clearinghouse of information in order to link veterans issues with organizations that can address them
- Encourage employers to provide job openings to the committee to advertise visibility to veterans
- Publicize veterans activities to promote awareness
- Promote veteran's benefits and local exemption
- Educate our youth on the role our military veterans have played in our country's history