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HAMILTON COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE COMMISSION

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HCVSC Enhances Support for Veterans Seeking Healthcare



HCVSC transportation department's first fleet vehicle

Hamilton County Veterans Service Commission (HCVSC) recently took a major step to further remove a barrier to healthcare for veterans: access to transportation. According to HCVSC Executive Director Orlando Sonza, forming a transportation department will enable HCVSC to expand its ability to help veterans get to and from VA medical appointments.

“Work is already underway to offer veterans additional support when they need healthcare,” Sonza said. “The new transportation department has acquired its first fleet vehicle and is hiring part-time drivers. This approach gives us yet another way to serve veterans in Hamilton County who need healthcare.”

Veterans Service Officer James Massey manages the new transportation department. The department will oversee HCVSC's established transportation program, which includes assistance with bus passes, Metro Access, and reimbursement for rides with Lyft and Uber. Please visit hcvsc.org/transportation for more information about HCVSC's transportation services.

Outreach Events Keep Veterans and Commission Connected



At top, left to right: Veteran Readiness and Employment Specialist Angelo Hazely; Velerick Watts, LSW; and Chaplain Andrew Nelson head a panel on mental health at Recovery Center of Hamilton County on February 6, 2025. Hamilton County Veterans Service Commission has resources at the ready the Recovery Center of Hamilton County.

At bottom, left to right: New Xavier ROTC soldiers participate in a swearing in ceremony during Xavier's Veterans Appreciation Game on March 1, 2025. Hamilton County Veterans Service Commission Outreach Manager Amber Ndubuisi and Commissioner Bill Burwinkle represent HCVSC at Xavier's Veterans Appreciation Game.

Want to find out when HCVSC will be at a veterans event near you? Visit our website, hcvsc.org, for a calendar of events. Be sure to follow us on Facebook, LinkedIn, and X for event updates.