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**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
 COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**



**FROM:** Department of Veterans' Services

**SUBMITTAL DATE:**  
 November 19, 2004

**SUBJECT:** Appointments to the Veterans' Advisory Committee (VAC)

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors appoint the following individuals to fill two at-large vacancies on the Veterans' Advisory Committee, both terms to expire 06-30-06:

Shayne Meder, 121 Adams Avenue, March ARB, CA 92518, (951) 662-5653  
 Stan Ehresmann, 6010 Moraga Avenue, Riverside, CA 92509, (951) 685-3306

Departmental Concurrence

**BACKGROUND:** At its regular meeting on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, the VAC's district representatives, per VAC policy, voted to recommend that the Board of Supervisors appoint Ms. Meder and Mr. Ehresmann to fill two current at-large vacancies on the VAC. One vacancy was created when the term of John Matthews was not renewed and the other was created when at-large member Alice Chandler was recently appointed as the District II representative.

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**William H. Densmore**  
 Staff Advisor

<b>FINANCIAL DATA</b>	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	\$ 0	In Current Year Budget:	N/A
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$ 0	Budget Adjustment:	N/A
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$ 0	For Fiscal Year:	04/05
<b>SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A</b>				Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30 <input type="checkbox"/>
				Requires 4/5 Vote <input type="checkbox"/>

**C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:** **APPROVE**

County Executive Office Signature *Kelly A. Seaman*

- Dept't Recomm.:  Consent  Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.:  Consent  Policy

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MSgt Shayne Meder, USAF (Retired), currently serves as the supervisor of the Aircraft Restoration Branch at the March Field Museum. Nominated by the local chapter of the Military Officers' Association of America, Shayne's letter of nomination notes that she is in a unique position to serve on the VAC due to her contact with active duty, Guard and Reserve units, as well as local veteran service organizations. The letter continues by saying that her "experience, temperament, dedication, interests, service to others and wide circle of friends and acquaintances will bring a contemporary and relevant dimension to the VAC..."

Colonel Stanley Ehresmann, US Army (Retired), is no stranger to the VAC, having served once before as the District II representative, including several years as VAC chairman. Since his retirement from the VAC, Stan has kept involved with veteran service organization projects such as coordinating the VFW's annual speech contest, the Voice of Democracy. Colonel Ehresmann was nominated by VFW Post 1726.