

State Bar of Michigan | 2016-2017 SECTION ANNUAL REPORT

Article VIII §1, Bylaws of the State Bar of Michigan

Every Section and State Bar entity so directed by the Board of Commissioners or Representative Assembly shall annually make a written report containing a summary of its activities during the association year which shall be submitted to the Secretary on or before May 31. Annual reports may not exceed five 8 1/2" x 11" pages unless a waiver of this limitation is approved by the Executive Director.

Military & Veterans' Law Section

Jurisdiction: Created 7/26/2013.

Chair

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Pursuant to Bylaws, Article VI Section 2.(b),
Jeremy Henner assumed the duties of Chairperson
on May 6, 2017 when Asst. Dean Spielmaker resigned
due to career relocation and a Bar status change.

Vice Chair

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Leadership Council:

Gen. Michael McDaniel, P34738, Term Expires Sep 2017
Peggy Costello, P41868, Term Expires Sep 2017
Robert Farnette, P13304, Term Expires Sep 2017
Justin Hayes, P78467, Term Expires Sep 2019
Tracie Lemon, Term Expires Sep 2019
Julie Lawler-Hoyle, Term Expires Sep 2019
Larissa Waltman, P55341, Term Expires Sep 2019

Committees:

Pro-Bono; Chair: Peggy Costello
Education, Training and Outreach; Chair: Gen. Michael McDaniel
Communications; Chair: Casey Walker, P74484
Veterans' Treatment Courts; Chair: Hon. Deborah Thomas, P28734
Veteran Benefits; Chair: Vacant

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Council Meeting Schedule:

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Please attach any additional information needed regarding Council meetings as an addendum.

Meeting Type	Date	Location
Annual Meeting	9/15/2016	Cooley Law - Lansing
Quarterly Meeting	1/20/2017	Teleconference

Addendum Information: Please list any addendums attached.

Events and/or Seminars:

Please attach any additional information needed regarding events and/or seminars as an addendum.

Event or Seminar Title	Date	Location
Annual Training Event - CLE - VA Accreditation Training	9/15/2016	Cooley Law - Lansing

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Legislative issues:

Recommendations for next Council:

Clear agendas, clear objectives, finite taskings, membership outreach and input is critical to this section's success. More frequent use of State Bar resources to truly "include" membership is a must. Steady, dedicated leadership is necessary to instill trust and build confidence in the section's vision.

Other Information:

**Reports must be submitted before May 31, ~~2016~~ to:
2017**

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