

Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services
Division of Consumer Services



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COMMISSIONER**

**CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS/SPONSORS REGISTRATION
APPLICATION**

**Solicitation of Contributions Act
Chapter 496, Florida Statutes
Rule 5J-7.004, Florida Administrative Code**

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Application Information

License Number: CH28956

Business Information

Legal Name: VETERANS COUNCIL OF MARTIN COUNTY
FEIN: 52-1701102
Business Phone: 772-288-5448
Business Fax: 772-221-2312
Business Address: 435 SE FLAGLER AVE
STUART Florida 34994-2202
Mailing Address: PO BOX 1994
STUART Florida 34995-1994
Email Address: veterans@vetcouncilmc.org
Website Address: www.vetcouncilmc.org
Fictitious Names** Not Applicable

**All fictitious names must be registered with the Division of Corporations. If business is a corporation then 'Name' is the legal name of the business as listed with the Division of Corporations. You must list all names under which you intend to do business.

Organization Information

Form of Organization: Corporation
FEIN: 52-1701102
Established In: Florida **Legally Established:** 6/20/1990

Business Details

Month/Day fiscal year ends: 12/31

**Organization's Internal Revenue
Service Status:** 501(c)(3)

Purpose of the Organization:

THE MISSION OF THE VETERANS COUNCIL OF MARTIN COUNTY IS TO PROMOTE THE RECOGNITION OF THE SACRIFICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS OF CURRENT AND FORMER MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES; to act as a channel of communication to Martin County veterans organizations; to coordinate with local agencies that administer programs benefiting welfare of veterans and their families. The Council organizes Veterans and Memorial Day parades, purchases vans to transport vets to the VA hospital and financially assists needy vets.

Purpose for which the contributions are used:

THE COUNCIL WILL USE THE FUNDS TO PURCHASES TRANSPORTATION VANS FOR CARRYING VETERANS TO THE VETERANS HOSPITAL AND TO ASSIST NEEDY VETERANS AND THEIR FAMILIES. IN ADDITION, FUNDS WILL BE USES TO FUND THE VETERANS AND MEMORIAL DAY PARADE EXPENSES.

Major Program activities: 1. Assist needy veterans 2. Provide vans to transport veterans to the VA hospital 3. Organize & underwrite the Veterans and Memorial Day Parades

License History

Is this organization authorized by any other state to solicit contributions: No

Has this organization been engaged in Unlawful practices?: No

Has the organization had its registration denied?: No

Has the organization voluntarily entered into an assurance of voluntary compliance(AVC) or agreement similiar to Florida Statutes?: No

Owner/Management Information

Officer 1 - Removed

Name: BRUCE D HUDSON
Title:
Phone: 772-465-5777
Address: 5607 PALMETTO DR
FORT PIERCE Florida 34982-7447

Officer 2 - Removed

Name: BRUCE MILLETTE
Title:
Phone: 772-341-1008
Address: 601 SW ESTATE AVE
PORT SAINT LUCIE Florida 34953-7614

Officer 3 - Removed

Name: ALBERTO AVILES
Title:
Phone: 787-550-3018

Address: 132 SW SOUTH WAKEFIELD CIR
PORT SAINT LUCIE Florida 34953-5445

Officer 4 - Removed

Name: FRANK MAITLAND
Title:
Phone: 772-215-1329
Address: 1115 SE ALAMANDA LN
STUART Florida 34996-3619

Officer 5 - Removed

Name: LEWEIS JONES
Title:
Phone: 772-287-0232
Address: 455 SE SALERNO RD
STUART Florida 34997-6353

Officer 6 - Removed

Name: GEORGE MITTLER
Title:
Phone: 772-359-0805
Address: 4179 A GATOR TRACE
FORT PIERCE Florida 34982

Officer 7

Name: FRANK TIDIKIS
Title: Treasurer
Phone: 772-220-6923
Address: 12 CRANES NEST ST
STUART Florida 34996-6403

Criminal History Questions

1. Is this person exempt from Public Records? [s. 119.071(4), F.S.] *No*
2. Is this person compensated? *No*
3. Has this person been convicted of, found guilty of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or been incarcerated within the last 10 years as a result of having previously been convicted of, or found guilty of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to, any felony, or crime involving fraud, theft, larceny, embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, misappropriation of property, or any crime arising from the conduct of a solicitation for a charitable organization or sponsor within the last 10 years? [s. 496.405(2)(d)5, F.S.] *No*
4. Has this person been enjoined from violating any law relating to a charitable solicitation? [s. 496.405(2)(d)6, F.S.] *No*

Officer 8

Name: William H Corbett
Title: In Charge of Solicitation
President
Phone: 772-708-8692

Address: 5334 SE 52nd Drive
Stuart Florida 34997-1654

Criminal History Questions

1. Is this person exempt from Public Records? [s. 119.071(4), F.S.] **No**
2. Is this person compensated? **No**
3. Has this person been convicted of, found guilty of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or been incarcerated within the last 10 years as a result of having previously been convicted of, or found guilty of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to, any felony, or crime involving fraud, theft, larceny, embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, misappropriation of property, or any crime arising from the conduct of a solicitation for a charitable organization or sponsor within the last 10 years? [s. 496.405(2)(d)5, F.S.] **No**
4. Has this person been enjoined from violating any law relating to a charitable solicitation? [s. 496.405(2)(d)6, F.S.] **No**

Officer 9

Name: Donald P Johnson
Title: Vice President
Phone: 772-807-0120
Address: 896 NE Sandalwood Place
Jensen Beach Florida 34957

Criminal History Questions

1. Is this person exempt from Public Records? [s. 119.071(4), F.S.] **No**
2. Is this person compensated? **No**
3. Has this person been convicted of, found guilty of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or been incarcerated within the last 10 years as a result of having previously been convicted of, or found guilty of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to, any felony, or crime involving fraud, theft, larceny, embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, misappropriation of property, or any crime arising from the conduct of a solicitation for a charitable organization or sponsor within the last 10 years? [s. 496.405(2)(d)5, F.S.] **No**
4. Has this person been enjoined from violating any law relating to a charitable solicitation? [s. 496.405(2)(d)6, F.S.] **No**

Officer 10

Name: Edwin Maxwell Jr.
Title: Secretary
Phone: 772-285-3053
Address: 3241 NE Skyline Drive
Jensen Beach Florida 34957

Criminal History Questions

1. Is this person exempt from Public Records? [s. 119.071(4), F.S.] **No**
2. Is this person compensated? **No**
3. Has this person been convicted of, found guilty of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or been incarcerated within the last 10 years as a result of having previously been convicted of, or found guilty of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to, any felony, or crime involving fraud, theft, larceny, embezzlement, fraudulent

conversion, misappropriation of property, or any crime arising from the conduct of a solicitation for a charitable organization or sponsor within the last 10 years? [s. 496.405(2)(d)5, F.S.] *No*

4. Has this person been enjoined from violating any law relating to a charitable solicitation? [s. 496.405(2)(d)6, F.S.] *No*

Officer 11

Name: Anthony Reese
Title: In Charge of Distribution
Phone: 772-288-5448
Address: 435 SE Flagler Avenue
Stuart Florida 34994-2202

Criminal History Questions

1. Is this person exempt from Public Records? [s. 119.071(4), F.S.] *No*
2. Is this person compensated? *No*
3. Has this person been convicted of, found guilty of, pled guilty or nolo contendere to, or been incarcerated within the last 10 years as a result of having previously been convicted of, or found guilty of, or pled guilty or nolo contendere to, any felony, or crime involving fraud, theft, larceny, embezzlement, fraudulent conversion, misappropriation of property, or any crime arising from the conduct of a solicitation for a charitable organization or sponsor within the last 10 years? [s. 496.405(2)(d)5, F.S.] *No*
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Employee Information

Other Employees: Not Applicable

Branch offices, Chapters or Affiliates

Other Locations: Not Applicable

Professional Solicitors

Other Locations: Not Applicable

Fundraising Consultants

Other Locations: Not Applicable

Commercial Co-venturers

Other Locations: Not Applicable

Financial Statement

Fiscal year ending: 12/31/2016
Financial statement source: 990 EZ and Schedule O
Uploads Attached: Yes
Attached Documents

1. **Name:** VCMC 990 EZ & Sched O09022016.pdf

Type: Financial Information

Desc: Veterans Council 2015 990 EZ Tax Return & Schedule O

Supporting Documents(List of Sources and Amounts)

1. **Name:** Conflict of Interest Policy09022016.pdf

Type: Conflict of interest annual certification

Desc: Conflict of Interest Certification

Application Questionnaire

Did the charitable organization or sponsor receive \$25,000 or more in total revenue during the immediately preceding fiscal year?: Yes

Are the fundraising activities of the charitable organization or sponsor carried on by any compensated volunteers, members, or officers ?: No

Are any part of the assets or income of the organization or sponsor inured to the benefit of or paid to any officer or member?: No

Does the charitable organization or sponsor utilize a professional fundraising consultant, professional solicitor, or commercial co-venture?: No

Registration application Type

Registration Application Type: Charitable

Registration Fee: 125

Preparer Information

First Name: Frank

Last Name: Tidikis

Phone Number: 561-310-7597

Signature Information

* I declare under penalty of perjury that all of the information provided in this application and in any exhibits attached hereto, is true and correct.

and further state as follows:

* I have read the registration application and know the contents thereof; and

* The registration application is made for the purpose of complying with the provisions of Chapter 496, Florida Statutes, Solicitation of Contributions Act

Signature Name: Veterans Council of Martin County

Signature Date: 2/9/2016