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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans Trust Fund Board (V4V) elect new officers for 2021-2022 year.

At the **Sept 15, 2021** Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans Trust fund monthly meeting, the following members were elected to offices for the 2021-2022 year as well as bringing on two new board members.

The newly elected officers are:

- Chairman Lauri Brooke
- Vice Chairman Larry Ziebarth
- Secretary Don Pankake
- Treasurer Marland Ronning

Two new members joined the board:

- Reggie Worlds (appointed by the DAV)
- Curt Hermanson (appointed by the VFW)

Two members retired from the board of trustees:

- Dean Ascheman
 - Dean will remain on the board as an ex-officio administrative officer
- Doug Doerfler

If questions or additional information needed, please contact the contact point noted above.

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The Minnesota Veterans 4 Veterans (V4V) Trust Fund is a 501c (19) non-profit organization established as the result of the 2006 sale of Lake Minnetonka Big Island Disabled Veterans Camp. The non-profit organization has eight board members, two veterans each who are appointed by the DAV, VFW, MOPH, and American Legion. The board oversees the funds from the sale of the island to the City of Orono and has a grant application process on their website. Grants are made to organizations serving MN veterans in a way that conforms to the criteria the V4V has documented online at their website.....Website: mnv4v.org

To learn more about the history of the Big Island Veterans Camp see: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Big_Island_Park And https://minnehahacreek.org/sites/minnehahacreek.org/files/Big%20Island%20Fact% 20Sheet.pdf

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