August 14, 2026

Virtual Meeting

Present: Amanda Nipper, Christen Butler, Karlene Beams, Kris Carson, Lizzy Couch, Sharri Jones, Douglas Kinslow, Lukas Klaus, Tino Lindsey, Mike McGowen, Louis Keller, Jacob Oliva, DuShaun Scarbrough, Starr Crow, Michael Rau, Zoe Tollette, Carlos Mendoza, Larrisa Agbor, Daniel Jones
Not Present: Cynthia Frazier, Shawntill Puryear

10:10 The meeting was called to order by Amanda Nipper, Chair, followed by the roll call: Michael Rau, EngageAR. Following the roll call the Consent Agenda was presented by Amanda Nipper, Chair. I motion was made to approve by Sharri Jones, 2nd by Douglas Kinslow and all approved. A welcome to new Commissioners was given from Amanda Nipper, Chair. Following her welcome she introduced Secretary Jacob Oliva who then gave a welcome to the group.

10:25 Starr Crow gave her Director Report, during wich she introduced the EngageAR team and asked all the new commissioners to introduce themselves and their interests in service and volunteerism. After introductions Starr discussed the upcoming 9/11 Day of Service.

10:47 There was a South Central AmeriCorps Update from Daniel Jones, Senior Portfolio Manager.

10:53 The New Business section of this meeting Starr Crow and Amanda Nipper provided orientation to AmeriCorps, history of service in Arkansas and The Commissions mission.

11:18 Toni Lindsey made a motion to adjourn the meeting, 2nd by Trey Keller and approved by all.

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November 12-13, 2026