

Macomb Veterans Action Collaborative Minutes  
Virtual Meeting  
Monday, October 3, 2022

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order by Laura Rios at 9:03 A.M.

**II. ATTENDEES:**

David Wilson  
Elizabeth Sergent  
Diana Laskey  
Christina Mariani  
Stephen Boegehold  
Katie Carroll  
Mark Kilgore  
Sharon Urban

Lisa Marie Duncan-Edwards  
Laura Rios  
Gabiella Barthlow  
April Winkelman  
Monisha Scott  
Teena Sawicki  
Pazz Colston

**III. INTRODUCTIONS/APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Meeting was called to order by Laura Rios at 9:02 AM**

The August 01, 2022 meeting minutes were approved and recorded as written.

- IV. SPECIAL SPEAKER: Teena Sawicki VA SAVE Training**  
VA S.A.V.E training gives you the important steps involved in suicide prevention.  
S – signs of suicidal thinking  
A – asks the most important questions  
V – validates the Veteran’s experience  
E – encourages treatment and Expedites getting help

Teena presented, explained, and gave examples of each step in the SAVE acronym and also gave supporting providers contact information.

**V. AGENCY UPDATES/ROUND ROBIN:**

**VI. VCAT UPDATE/MVAA UPDATES:**

**VII. NEXT MEETING: December 05, 2022**  
MRS and Voc Rehab

**ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 10:27 AM