



# KANSAS COMMISSION ON VETERANS' AFFAIRS



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To: All KCVA Employees,

The KCVA Budget was cut by 2.75%, or slightly more than \$249K. We are taking steps to absorb that decrease throughout the Agency. As you know from our earlier messages, the decrease was less than the five, eight, ten or more percent decrease impact statements we had earlier provided to requesting legislative bodies during the 2009 session. For that, we are grateful, and look forward with hope and determination for an end to the recession and a restoration of much-needed dollars to support the vital programs that provide our Kansas veterans and families with the benefits that they have earned.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Jack Fowler", followed by a vertical line.

Jack Fowler  
Executive Director  
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