Senior Citizens Commission Regular Meeting December 7, 2021 Minutes

The Senior Citizens Commission held a regular meeting on December 7, 2021 at the Senior Center at 1:00 P.M. Present at the meeting was chairman Paula Friez, vice chairman Ray Soma, Corenda Haugh, Leslie Shea and Cheryl Udin. The Director of Senior and Social Services Carrie Concatelli was also in attendance.

1. Call to order

Paula Friez called the meeting to order at 1:04 p.m.

2. Public Comment

Cheryl Udin shared with the commission that Senior Inc. have received two grants for \$2,500 each. One grant is going to be used to purchase patio furniture for the patio at the senior center and the second grant is being used to purchase 10 lock-boxes for senior's doors/entries.

3. Approval of Minutes, September 14, 2021

Cheryl Udin made a motion to accept the minutes as written; Ray Soma seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

4. Municipal Agent Report

Carrie Concatelli shared that the senior center distributed over 20 meals during Thanksgiving.

5. Old Business

a. Review of Recent Programs

The senior center had a Halloween party and was a great time

Paula stated the Veterans Day celebration was wonderful and Jerry Wright was the speaker and did a fantastic job.

They also had a Pearl Harbor speaker come in and talk.

6. New Business

a. Annual Report

Carrie shared the annual report for the Senior Center, its due into Town Hall by December 20th.

b. Role of the Commission and goals for 2022

The Commission discussed many roles and would like to see more communication of senior needs in town and making sure they are all met. Some goals discussed were implementing more programs and events. Also providing a mailing 2x a year that would list events and provide detailed information to seniors and citizens around town.

c. Meeting Dates for 2022

Meetings are on Tuesday's at 1:00pm March 2, 2022 June 7, 2022 September 13, 2022 December 6, 2022

7. Adjournment

Paula ended the meeting at 2:14pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Corrine O'Brien Board Clerk

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