



**TWO  
RIVERS**  
WISCONSIN

## **COMMITTEE ON AGING**

**Monday, December 01, 2025 at 8:30 AM**

**Senior Center Library - Senior Center 1520  
17th Street, Two Rivers, WI 54241**

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### **MINUTES**

#### **1. CALL TO ORDER**

- a. Councilperson Bittner called the meeting to order at 8:33am

#### **2. ROLL CALL**, Betty Bittner, Kim Graves, Ruth Kadow, Kyle Korinek, Pamela Stephens, Jo Anne Yungerman, Mark Bittner

#### **3. MINUTES**

A motion was made to accept the minutes from November by Betty and seconded by Ruth. All in favor, motion carried.

#### **4. INPUT FROM PUBLIC**

#### **5. CORRESPONDENCE AND PRESS**

#### **6. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

##### **A. Aging and Disability Resource - Wendy Hutterer**

Open enrollment Appointments and medigap hotline are at capacity call 1-800-633-4227 or medicare.gov for assistance with open enrollment the ADRC will be calling bingo at the two rivers Senior Center soon as part of their outreach.

##### **B. City Council - Mark Bittner**

Council person Bittner discussed budget finalization and an increase in tax base from 3 to 4% over the next two years the council is looking at costs of everything including bus and perpetual flowers and the library fund. He asked members to attend City Council meetings.

J. Yungerman asked questions about past tax increases and that the population does not understand how to read their tax bill or what it means there was also discussion on individual water line installation issues council person Bittner will follow up with members to discuss the individual issues.

P. Stephens suggested looking into history and citizens should remember to tighten their personal budgets and step up to help others.

B. Bittner commented it is important to get the word out for those that need help; the cost of living is lower in two rivers than big cities now as commented by a board member.

Council person Bittner reminded the board starting December 1st citizens may pick up papers to run for City Council.

##### **C. Recreation Department Programs - Mike Mathis**

Mike was unavailable for this meeting, however Heather reminded board members of the upcoming cool city Christmas on December 13th and there are open volunteer positions available.

**D. Senior Center - Heather Ihlenfeldt**

Heather gave the November update for the two rivers Senior Center there were 257 trust car rides given 1323 meals delivered to the homebound 98 volunteers volunteered 307 times there were 14 new members of the Senior Center and 71 renewals in the month of November

The city manager's luncheon hosted by the Senior Center was well attended with 40 seniors attending and speaking with the city manager.

The community Thanksgiving meal sponsored by businesses in the city and put on at the Senior Center was able to feed 145 meals which included meals going to the homeless at the warming shelter.

Heather updated the board that as her work as part of the hunger task force of two rivers they placed a tiny free pantry outside of the Senior Center at the 17th St. entrance. Heather monitors which items come and go out of that pantry particularly due to the cold weather and items freezing in the low temperatures.

**E. TRIAD**

Ruth gave an update on the senior drug take back which should happen in April. Triad is putting together a crime prevention booklet they are still selling quick trip cards at the Senior Center and are working to update the senior centers chore list.

Assistant chief Weisner updated that the parade is rescheduled for Saturday number six the department continues with the coffee with the cop activity police lights at Christmas there's a snow parking ban in effect the shop with a cop event is upcoming.

**F. Two Rivers School District**

Kyle reported that the veteran's day events in the school district went well the school districts report card reading with the state increased from 51.3 in 2022 to 65 in 2025 the high school has a rating of exceeds expectations with this state rating.

**G. American Legion Auxiliary**

The American Legion auxiliary reminded the group of the wreaths across America event laying wreaths at the forest view cemetery on December 13th starting at 10 AM they are still looking for volunteers.

**7. NEW BUSINESS**

**8. CONTINUING BUSINESS**

**A. What can we do better?**

Suggestions were made for citizens to be more involved with City Council to listen to our neighbors look at positives as well as negatives utilize promote and donate to the tiny free pantry at the Senior Center.

**9. ADJOURNMENT**

PJ made a motion to adjourn the meeting Jo seconded the motion all in favor motion carries.

Respectfully submitted by,



Heather Ihlenfeldt

Two Rivers Senior Center Supervisor.

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