

COMMITTEE ON AGING MEETING

Monday, May 02, 2022 at 8:30 AM

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

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order by Bill LeClair, seconded by Pamela Stephens, motion carried.

2. ROLL CALL

Committee Members: Jackie Ackerman, RuthAnn Hearley, Gerald Lyons, Lenore McDonough, Pamela Stephens, Jerome Schubring, Virginia Coffman, Bill LeClair, Wendy Hutterer, Heather Ihlenfeldt

3. INPUT FROM PUBLIC

Two Rivers Schools Superintendent, Diane Johnson, presentation about the facility assessment they completed as well as a survey asking for community input from all stakeholders.

4. CORRESPONDENCE AND PRESS

Committee member discussed moving the location of the Committee on Aging Meeting due to the acoustics in the Koska room. Would like to meet in a smaller area.

5. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. County Aging Unit - Wendy Hutterer

Wendy Hutterer announced an upcoming retirement of the ADRC's Manitowoc receptionist. The part-time receptionist at Kewaunee location will move into that position. Kewaunee location congregate meals are now open. Spoke and gave hand out regarding Aging Advocacy Day, see attached. ADRC now offering full in-person, in-home visits, prevention programs, and Stepping Up Nutrition program

B. City Council - Bill LeClair

Election of 3 new City Council members. Jason Ring, Tim Petri and Scott Stechmesser. Bill LeClair re-ran and was re-elected as a City Council member. Spoke about Manitowoc Area Visitors and Convention Buereau, or MAVCB, moved to workforce development building on Dewey St. in Manitowoc, Two Rivers is not contracted with MAVCB. "Explore Two Rivers" Visitor center is located at 1608 Washington ST. The building will have a kiosk for visitor information. Washington House will be more of a historical house and will be open Wednesday through Sunday, 12p-4p. Tourism director Amy, helping to start up the visitor center. \$510,000 of 800,000 Central Park West 365 project money raised. Donators can buy honorary bricks, benches, and picnic tables to help reach the goal. Discussed upcoming apartment complex on Forest Avenue. There will be 45 units in the complex. Council is looking into affordable housing for seniors and young adults. The Paragon building was sold to Trivers LLC for \$1.2 million. City crews have been cleaning up sand that has blown into the walking trail and streets. Planting grass to prevent blowing sand. Trail by the lake is well used.

C. Recreation Department Programs – New Recreation Director to start late June.

D. Senior Center – Heather Ihlenfeldt

Heather, new Senior Center Supervisor, introduced herself to the committee. Spoke issue of needing volunteers for Home delivered meals program for Mishicot routes on Wednesdays and Fridays. Pamela Stevens volunteered to assist; Wendy Hutterer will assist Heather in getting in contact with the ADRC volunteer coordinator.

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6. **NEW BUSINESS**

Heather discussed open seats on the Committee on Aging. Virginia Coffman to take an open seat, Gerald Lyons, Lenore M, and Jerry Schubring to stay on for another term.

7. CONTINUING BUSINESS

There continues to be one open seat on the Committee, and another seat opening at the end of this year.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn Ruthann Hearly, seconded by Jerome Schubring. Motion carried.

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It is possible that members of and possibly a quorum of governmental bodies of the municipality may be in attendance at the above stated meeting to gather information; no other action will be taken by any governmental body at the above-stated meeting other than the governmental body specifically referred to above in this notice.