

Services for the Elderly Commission

Minutes – Monday February 26, 2024
11:30am Regular Meeting

Time at



Meeting called to order by Director Sekorski & Chairman Wilmot 11:26 am

Commissioners (7): Art Mattiello, Dennis Pezze, Jean McGarrity, John Riggs, Mike Gardinello and Mary Ann Berlinski, Ed Wilmot

Alternates (3) Janice Colangelo, Tina Vanini, Janet Recidivi
Winsted Rep. Candy Perez.

Staff: Director Joel Sekorski & Supervisor Christine Trudeau-Brown-

Excused: Commissioner Perez, Riggs

Absent: Mattiello Appointed to Vote: J. Colangelo

Public Input: None

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to accept the June minutes made by

Commissioner Gardinello

2nd by Commissioner Vanini

Passed

Announcements & Correspondence: As Presented

Reviewed announcements and correspondence.

Sullivan Senior Center Report:

Reviewed Sullivan Senior Center Report as reported by Director Joel Sekorski

Motion to accept Senior Center Report made by

Commissioner Riggs

2nd by Commissioner Pezze

Passed.

Elderly Nutrition Report:

Reviewed Elderly Nutrition Report as reported by Supervisor Christine Trudeau-Brown.

Motion to accept Elderly Nutrition Report made by

Commissioner Riggs

2nd by Commissioner Pezze

Passed

Discussed Motions: Motions below:

Finance Committee Annual Meeting reports 2024- Wilmot, Vanini, Gardinello, Colangelo, Berlinski, Pezze, McGarrity, Riggs and Recidivi approved Financial reports from Elderly Services Departments and Accounts 2/26/24 10:30 to 11:30 special meeting annual

Motion to accept Commissioner. Wilmot

2nd by Commissioner Colangelo

Passed

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New Business 2: Services for the Elderly Commission's 2/26/24 recommendation to have City Council authorize that the Mayor be the applicant for Assisted Medical Transportation and be the signer for the of Purchase for the Assisted Transportation Program's DOT Sec. 5310 grant. Spring 2024 cycle application. The grant supplies funding for 80% of the value of an approved wheelchair accessible van. If the grant is awarded, 20% of the value of the vehicle would be paid by with Funds already in the Elderly Services vehicle replacement account. The Assisted Medical Transportation Program has already secured funds for the 20% match through fund raising. Expected maximum cost of the vehicle; TBD at time of application current pricing release, Current Van Pricing depending on model selected.

Motion to accept Commissioner. Pezze
2nd by Commissioner McGarity
Passed and approved to recommend

Meeting adjourned at 2:20 pm

Commissioner Pezze
2nd by Commissioner Gardinello
Passed.

Next meeting to be held on Monday, March 18, 2024 at the Sullivan Senior Center at 1:00pm.

Respectfully submitted by:



Notes Taken Recording Secretary, Mary Ann Berlinski
Typed by Director Sekorski