

Advisory Committee for Senior Citizens

A regular meeting of the Advisory Committee for Senior Citizens was held on Thursday, Nov. 4, 2010 at the Troy Community Center. Chair JoAnn Thompson called the meeting to order at 1:05 PM.

Present: James Berar, Member
David Ogg, Member
JoAnn Thompson, Member
Jo Rhoads, Member
Pauline Noce, Member
Carla Vaughan, Staff

Absent: None

Visitors: None

Approval of Minutes

Resolution # SC-2010-11-001
Moved by Rhoads
Seconded by Noce

RESOLVED that the Minutes of Sept. 2, 2010 be approved as submitted.

Yes: 5
No: 0

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Visitor Comments

None

OLD BUSINESS

None

NEW BUSINESS

Suggestion Box: Carla reported that there were no suggestions this month.

Easement Mowing: A discussion was held about how this will be a hardship for some seniors but that there is no use pursuing the issue because the City would say they have no money.

Advocacy Committee: Carla reported that there has been no direction yet from City Council as to how this committee will be formed and operated.

Troy Trips: JoAnn Thompson reported that she had two calls from seniors about how the trips are priced higher in Troy. Carla reported that she is required to price trips so that they make money. Also, some cities keep costs lower by using their municipal and community credits to pay for the buses for day trips, but Troy uses this money to fund Medi-Go.

REPORTS

Park Board: JoAnn Thompson reported that they discussed the millage failure.

Senior Program: Approximately 150 seniors attended the open house on September 9. Twenty-one groups participated and there were eight stage demonstrations. Nine businesses donated refreshments and/or door prizes. A new computer class on using Facebook was offered in September and it was full. Over 200 people came to document shredding on October 4. The flu shot clinic was held on October 29. The craft show and purse sale are tomorrow. Approximately 300 purses have been donated.

Medi-Go: Medi-Go now offers a punch card and Jo Rhoads wants to promote these cards as gifts for Medi-Go riders.

OLHSA: No report.

Oakland County Senior Advisory Board: No report.

Member Comments

The meeting was adjourned at 2.22 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

JoAnn Thompson, Chair

Carla Vaughan, Secretary