COMMISSION ON THE AGING 4 Brush Hill Road New Fairfield, CT 06812

MINUTES

Regular Meeting

April 27, 2010

A regular meeting of the Commission on the Aging was held on Tuesday April 27, 2010 at the New Fairfield Senior Center. Maureen Salerno called the meeting to order at 7:30pm. Secretary, Laurie Busse, took the minutes.

Present: Maureen Salerno, Chair, Jeannette Sweeney, Kathy Hull, Janet Loya, Katy Johannssen (7:40pm), and Roberta Ilardo (7:40pm)

Absent: Cindy LaCour, Vice Chair and Bob Alberetti

Elevation of Alternates:

Jeannette Sweeney was elevated to full voting status.

MINUTES:

Jeannette Sweeney made a motion to accept the Minutes to the January 26, 2009 meeting as presented, 2nd by Kathy Hull, vote 4-0

CORRESPONDENCE/ANNOUNCEMENTS:

• The Danbury Area Wide COA Summit for May 8, 2010 has been cancelled.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Community Forum with Dr. Jack Gesino

Maureen Salerno spoke with Jack Gesino, he will be available in June but would prefer a weekday. Discussion followed on possible days and or weekday evenings. The topic will be "Its Not Too Late To Be Happy".

2. Senior Weekend Transportation Needs

Cindy LaCour was not able to contact Vinny Mancuso of the Knights of Columbus. She will try to contact him again when she returns from vacation.

3. Planning Commission, June Meeting

A memo from the Planning Commission was handed out and discussed. The Planning Commission is updating their Plan of Conservation and Development and is requesting

feedback from all of the Town Boards and Commissions. Further discussion focused on elderly housing needs and transportation. A housing authority may be needed for New Fairfield. At the joint meeting in May, the Commission will request feedback from the Senior Center Advisory Committee and the Friends of the Senior Center.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Senior Center Report

The Senior Center report was distributed and discussed as outlined. The attendance continues to be higher than at the old location. June 5 is the Friends annual tag sale and it will be held at the Senior Center this year.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

The next meeting will be on May 25, 2010. It will be the joint meeting with the Friends of the Senior Center and the Senior Center Advisory Committee. The meeting will start at the regular time of 7:30pm.

ADJOURN:

Janet Loya made a motion to adjourn at 8:35pm 2nd by Jeannette Sweeney vote 6-0