

Commission on the Aging
4 Brush Hill Road
New Fairfield, Ct 06812

Meeting Minutes
Tuesday October 22, 2024
7:30pm

Members in Attendance

Kathy Hull, Roberta Ilardo, Julie MacMillan & Maureen Salerno.
Minutes were taken by Lisa Zustovich.

Pledge of Allegiance

Motion to approve Minutes

Approve the September 24, 2024 Meeting Minutes- Julie MacMillan made a motion to approve the 9-24-24 meeting minutes as written, 2nd by Roberta Ilardo, all in favor. **Approved**

Correspondence/Announcements

Approve Calendar of Meetings for COA 2025- Julie MacMillan made a motion to approve the Calendar of Meeting for 2025, 2nd by Maureen Salerno, all in favor. **Approved**

Reminder-No meeting in November

Old Business

Community Forum- feedback- Small crowd but feedback was good. Attendees thought the speakers were wonderful and Commission members felt they did a great job.

New Business

Certificate of Appreciation for Janet Loya- The Commission discussed Janet's years on the Commission. Maureen had a certificate made up for Janet and discussed when and how she could present it to her.

The Commission discussed possible candidates to ask to join the Commission.

Sub-Committee Reports

Housing- Maureen Salerno mentioned that a lot of people spoke with Anita Brown at New Fairfield Day. Kathy Hull said they are dealing with a lot of misconceptions.

Senior Center Listening Session- Roberta Ilardo- The listening session was on Oct 17th, Roberta spoke to seniors about the upcoming community forum.

Taxes- No discussion

Transportation- Kathy Hull shared information regarding FISH- they averaged 24 trips per month and have driven a total of 12,419 miles since its inception. Trips by year- 2022-105 trips, 2023- 202 trips, 2024- 218 trips.

Senior Center Report

Kathy Hull- On Oct. 28th the Dept of Elderly Services will be having a press event at the Senior Center. Open Enrollment for Medicare is Oct 15th through Dec 7th.
The Friends of NF Senior Center Craft Sale is this Saturday at the Senior Center from 9am-4pm with a bake sale.

Public Comment

None

Adjourn

Julie MacMillan made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Roberta Ilardo, all in favor, Adjourned @ 8:10pm.

Received by email on 10/29/2024 @ 8:30 a.m.
by Chrystie M. Bontempo, Asst. Town Clerk, New Fairfield