



Office of the Recreation Manager

Meeting Minutes
Senior Citizens of Shawnee Board
Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.
401 N. Bell, Shawnee, OK 74801

Chair: Wanda Hill	P		Pam Robinson	A
Vice-Chair: John Belzer	P		Shirley Gregory	P
Members:				
Phyllis Croswell	P		City Commissioner: Ben Salter	P
Ann Dowdy	P		City Staff:	
Barbara "Bobbi" Gaglia	P		Kerri Foster	P
Bill Haley	A		Brad Schmidt	P
Albert Rice	P		Amy Riggins	P

P = Present

A = Absent

AGENDA NO 1 Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m.

AGENDA NO 2 Roll call and Declaration of a Quorum

Roll call indicated above, quorum declared.

AGENDA NO 3 Approval of previous minutes

Motion was made by Phyllis Croswell (Ann Dowdy) to approved May 11th minutes. Motion carried via roll call vote

**AGENDA NO 4 Guest Speaker: Clorisa Brown, COEDD
Transportation Planner**

Ms. Brown provided information regarding transportation and current demographics of Pottawatomie County communities as well as surround cities similar in size to Shawnee.

She provided statistics regarding transportation and senior citizens, as well as average maintenance costs for some organizations provide vans for transport (\$7,450.00).

AGENDA NO 5 Staff & Programming Updates

Amy Riggins presenting information pertaining to attendance and programs. Attendance in May continued to rise slightly. Upcoming summer events were highlighted.

AGENDA NO 6 Senior Fitness Classes and Title III Grant Updates

Amy Riggins also provided the update that fitness class in May increased by 15%. The Avedis sponsored National Health and Fitness Day on May 26 saw 47 seniors participate. Shirley Gregory commented that the senior Restorative Stretching Gentle Yoga class was very effective and encouraged others to take part.

AGENDA NO 7 Discussion of Progress on Board Goals and Objectives

Phyllis Croswell asked about availability of a counselor to be able to meet senior needs. Amy Riggins reported that no one had been identified as of yet. Several pointed out the need for more information regarding transportation in cities more like Shawnee. Also, it was discussed that local churches or other organizations which provide transportation did not appear to be included in the information Ms. Brown with COEDD presented.

AGENDA NO 8 Update on Pottawatomie County Senior one/cent sales tax purchases

The allotment from Pott County for the month of May was \$1,597.00. Based on information from the county meeting, the McCloud Senior Center is closing, and Maud has a new cook. Nick Lazzaro from Ten Acre Observatory will be coming to present at the Senior Rec Center this summer and early this fall.

AGENDA NO 9 New Business

There was no new business to discuss.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 10:13 a.m.

Date 09/14/2021

Chairman Shanda G. Felt