

Minutes
Commission on Aging, Town of Seymour
Meeting
March 22, 2011
Norman Ray House
10:00 AM

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Members of the Commission present: Joan Gee, , Bonnie Wilkes, Phyllis Jachimowski; Evelyn Molner ; Excused-Harry Marks
In Attendance: Senior Center Director Lucy McConologue
First Selectman Paul Roy and members of the public and residents of the Ray House were also present.

- The meeting was called to order at 10:10 AM.
- All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.
- **Commission Members Comments:** Joan Gee stated the the Commission was happy to meet at the Ray House. The Commission members introduced themselves. Lucy , Paul , and Anastasia Timpko from Shady Knoll were also introduced.
- **Public Comment-** Bonnie, the Resident Services Coordinator at the Ray House, commented on the Medicare Savings Program and advantages to seniors. She also mentioned an up coming craft fair at Ray House to raise money for bus trips. First Selectman Paul Roy spoke about the upcoming Senior Fair scheduled for 4/27/11. The Commission on Aging as well as the Municipal Agent for the Elderly for the Town of Seymour will be in attendance. Paul Roy announced he appointed Bonnie Wilkes as the Municipal Agent for Seymour with an official start date of June 1 2011. Paul also stated that he is in the process of reviewing apps for the Senior Bus Driver. Joan Gee spoke about possible uses of the bus and use of the Municipal Agent.
- **The minutes of 2-23-11 were approved as presented.**
Motion- Evelyn Molner
Second- Bonnie Wilkes
All in favor.
- Lucy McConologue submitted the **Senior Center Director's report.** The report was accepted as presented. Lucy mentioned the Senior Fair on 4/27/11, from 10 AM to 2 PM. She listed vendors to date. Suggestions were given for more additional vendors. Motion to accept as follows:
Motion-Phyllis Jachimowski
Second-Joan Gee
All in favor.

- **Plans for 2011**-Lucy stated the Valley Elder Response Team was presenting an Elder Abuse Awareness Day on 6/15/11, to be hosted by Seymour this year. The theme is "How to Live A Peaceful Life."
- **Other Business:** Joan Gee stated Phil Wilhelmy, from the Board of Selectmen, attended the last Commission meeting and stated per town ordinance, the Commission should prepare a "rolling" document, and report to the selectmen by 12/1/ of each year. The Commission feels the document presented to the Board of Selectman in July meets the ordinance requirement, but will also meet to begin the preparation of this "rolling" document. A special meeting will be held on April 6 for this purpose only. Agenda will be prepared.
- There was no **Executive Session**.
- There was no further **Public Comment**.
- The agenda for 4/6/11 is as discussed above. The 4/27/11 meeting will be attendance at the Senior Fair.
- The meeting was adjourned at 11:14 AM.
 Motion-Evelyn Molner
 Second-Phyllis Jachimowski
 - All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Bonnie C. Wilkes
 Secretary, Commission on Aging