Minutes Commission on Aging Special Meeting November 17, 2010, 10:00 A.M. Seymour Senior Center

Present:Joan Gee, Harry Marks, Bonnie Wilkes, Phyllis Jachimowski, Excused: Evelyn Molner

Also present: Lucy McConologue, Seymour Center Director

- & The meeting was called to order by Joan Gee at 10:08 A.M.
- & Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all present.
- & There was no public comment.
- & The review and approval of minutes were tabled until the next meeting.
- & Lucy presented the Senior Center Directors' Report. Items discussed included the implementation of the new newsletter format and a Caregivers' Compassion Fatigue program for December. The Commission stressed that the implementation of the new format for the newsletter is long overdue.

A motion was made to accept the submission of the report. Motion-Harry Marks, Second-Phyllis Jachimowski, All in favor.

- & There was no Executive Session.
- & Under Other Business, Lucy spoke about some items discussed in her meeting with Paul Roy and Bonnie Wilkes on 9/30/10. Lucy stated she is working on obtaining a town e-mail address, working on a program explaining the overview of utility choice, and also more programs.

Next years schedule for Commission on Aging meetings was discussed/ Location will be rotated and some meetings will be held at the Ray House and the Callahan House. Other locations will be considered. The use of the Senior Bus was also discussed under Other Business. Based on the #'s provided, the Commission feels the bus is underutilized. The week ending 10/20/10 was used as an example.

The Commission again stressed the new newsletter format and increased distribution and publicity is needed to let seniors in Seymour know of the availability of transportation.

- & The agenda was prepared for the 12/22/10 meeting.
- & There was no public comment.
- & The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 AM.

Respectfully Submitted, Bonnie C. Wilkes, Secretary, Seymour Commission on Aging