



Beaverton Senior Citizen's Advisory Committee - Minutes

Tuesday, June 10, 2014 @2:30 p.m.
Beaverton City Hall
Council Chambers

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 2:30 p.m.

Roll Call

Members Present: Judith Auslander, Jo Anne Baumann, Cathy Doyle, Regina Ford, Peggy Gordon and Sally Simon

Elsie Stuhr Representative and Committee Member: Laurel Reilly

Staff Liaison: Jim Brooks

Council Liaison: Marc San Soucie

Absent Members: Carolyn Best, Beverlee Ryan, and Helen Robinson

Permanent Guests: Dana Paul

Guests:

Approval of May 2014 Minutes: Minutes were approved.

Agenda

Guest Speaker: Doug Colling, APS Manager, Hillsboro APD, Maria Shoop

- Slides were presented that communicated all that they do to help those in need.
- Protects those in need who are aged, disabled, or blind and those who are unable to protect themselves
- Social model of intervention
- Investigate
 - Physical abuse
 - Financial exploitation
 - Neglect/self-neglect
 - Sexual abuse
 - Abandonment
 - Psychological Abuse (verbal and emotional)
- Risk factors for caretakers
- In 2013 there were 14,143 investigated 4182 substantiated abuse cases
- Everyone can make a report
- Mandatory:

- Law enforcement
- Medical and Care Providers
- Public official and employees
- HB2205
 - Attorney
 - Dentists, Chiropractors, Optometrists
 - Legislative Law Makers
 - Now must be 24/7 reporters
- When call in to report you will always speak to a live person. Will find out results or investigation. There are currently 11 investigators with 2 more being hired.
- Contact info: www.centeronelderabuse.org & www.ncea.aoa.gov & www.oregon.gov/DHS/abuse/pages/index.aspx
- Douglas.a.colling@state.or.us, 503-640-3498 or 855-503-7233 (SAFE) (statewide abuse hotline)
- Most workers are volunteers – always something to do (filing, taking reports, investigating, second pair of ears). No mandatory hours. Contact DHS, go through orientation, background check. Many different areas to volunteer with.
- Open M-F 8AM to 5PM – closed holidays. Working on having an after hours response team.
- **Wear Purple on June 15th for World Elder Abuse Awareness Day**

Old Business:

Discussion of By-Laws

- Send any changes and ideas to Jim by next week. He will type up a list for the next meeting.
- Any ideas must be passed through the city attorney's office.
- Committee then will be a selected to meet with Jim and work on it. Judith, Regina, Laurel

Viva Village

- Next meeting Saturday, June 14 @ 10AM @ Elsie Stuhr
- Tabling event at Safety Fair at Beaverton Library – low attendance

New Business:

- Fall Forum – postponed until next meeting

Councilor Marc San Soucie – council update

- City council meeting next Tuesday evening
- First Picnic in the Park at Sexton School

Guest Speakers:

- July – Viva Village – Beaverton and Beyond - Regina
- August – Planning for fall forum
- September – Mediation - Jim
- October –
- November - Death Café

Resource Guide Contributions - Deadline 15th of each month/250 word limit/to Jim

- July – Adult Protective Services - Sally
- August – Viva Village - Regina
- September – Forum
- October – Carolyn

- November –
- December – Judith – Death Café

Announcements:

- DSAC Forum – Saturday, June 14 @ 1PM @ Elsie Stuhr

Meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

Next meeting scheduled for July 15, 2014@2:30PM at the Beaverton City Hall, Council Chambers

Minutes recorded by Judith Auslander, MA