

## **Beaverton Committee on Aging**

Summary of Monthly Meeting

Tuesday September 13, 2016

**Welcome and introductions** - Chair Sky Johnson called the meeting to order at 2:37 PM

**Guests:** Renee Moseley and Derenda Schubert, Bridge Meadows

**Approval of August Minutes:** Minutes approved and accepted.

**Bridge Meadows Presentation**— Three generation neighborhood devoted to Foster children who are awaiting adoption. Groundbreaking has occurred and the project is under way. 41 Units 9 for families, 32 for the elderly (55+) will be available and the community will be very diverse. Completion will be scheduled for 2017. Screening criteria will be based on the number of children in need. Referrals come from DHS. Community engagement and participation is based on the needs of the residents, families and communities. Residents will go through a background check. The Beaverton site rental will be based on the standards that come from the Federal government. Fundraisers are scheduled to help with the monetary needs of the social services in the community. The Bridge Meadows Fall Auction will help to raise funds toward the project. It will be held on September 22<sup>nd</sup>, at the Portland Art Museum for more information people can go to [brismeadows.org](http://brismeadows.org). The community center will offer many different services and activities based on the preferences of the residents.

**Forum Event update:** Sky Johnson has contacted the Beaverton Christian Church and they would be available for the potential Forum. There will be an additional fee for the sound technician of about \$150.00. The dates would be Jan 14<sup>th</sup>, March 18<sup>th</sup>, May 13<sup>th</sup>. The forum would be 10-2pm, tentatively. Sky Johnson will look at replicating the event contacts from the Fun over Fifty. BCOA Three part Series on Active Aging. Social Enrichment – Housing - Transportation.

**Sky Johnson:** Washington County Safety - Speaker will be presenting at the October BCOA meeting.

**Joann Baumann:** John Hamilton, Pastor of Cedar Mill Bible will be interested in potentially joining the BCOA

**Attendance:** Sky Johnson, Shannon Wiseman, Cathy Doyle, JoAnne Baumann, Beverly Sali.

**Jim Brooks – Beaverton City Staff Liaison** – The committee has 5 openings and we need to be recruiting for more members. The committee will be looking for specific budget recommendations for upcoming events.

**Cate Arnold – Beaverton City Council Liaison** – The committee should look for an invitation to a December event for the Advisory Councils and Committees.

**Not in Attendance:** Regina Ford, Jeff Menzel, Susanne Vanslyke

**Adjourn:** at 4:05PM