Council on Aging Meeting Dec. 1, 2023 2023

<u>Present</u>: Jane Carthas COA Director, Karen Johnson, Nancy Puckett, Linda Chute, Deb Greene, Ed Selman, Jeank Kopke. Paul Chapman - guest.

Meeting was called to order at 10:00. Motion was made to approve the minutes from the Nov. 2, 2023 meeting.

<u>Old Business:</u> Kitchen sink - checking on plumber and prices. Thanksgiving dinner was well attended and everything went well.

<u>New Business</u>: Dec. 11 - Therapy Gardens will have a program about desserts. Dec. 13 - Bringing Health to You Program by OCES.

Veteran Agents Coffee Hour - will change to Wednesdays at 9:30 starting in January.

Van rides will continue to be free, we will revisit this in April.

Game night was successful, and Cathy will schedule another game night. MCOA grants - the Avon COA received 2 grants, one is for the kitchen for #3,700 and the other is for the Memory Cafe for \$4,150. Jane and Louise will run the Memory Cafe.

A new van from BAT is available in 2025.

Suggested having Atty. Lauren Killman have a informational program for the seniors.

Paul Chapman suggested an overnight trip to Cooperstown. Jane will check with Silver Fox to coordinate a trip. Cathy will take over running the trip. Meeting schedule: Jan 5, Feb 2, March 8.

Motion was made and second to adjourn, meeting adjourned at 11:00. Respectfully submitted,

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