

SENIOR CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes

August 17, 2021
9:00 AM

Virtual Meeting
206.973.4680

CALL TO ORDER: The Senior Citizen Advisory Committee meeting was called to order at 9:00 AM.

ROLL CALL: Present: Judy Beste, Vicki Lockwood, Wayne Morgan and Veena Mehta.
Excused from attending the meeting: Cynthia Sipes

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF: Linda Croasdill, Recreation Supervisor; and Amy Oliverson, Recreation Program Specialist

OTHERS PRESENT: Councilmember Clyde Hill

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes dated June 15, 2021 were approved as written.

SEATAC CAFÉ UPDATE: Continuing to do curbside lunch service on Tuesdays thru Fridays, 11:45 AM-12:30 PM at the senior entrance to the SeaTac Community Center. Serving seniors 60 years and older for a suggested donation of \$4.50. Hawaiian luncheon was on Wednesday, July 17.

MONEY MANAGEMENT UPDATE: Senior Program Fund statement from June 2021 was reviewed.

PURCHASES: The Sensory Garden water feature will not be purchased until 2022. All other garden purchases have been made. We will hold a small reception to honor the volunteers on September 7, 2021. There has been a problem with bees in the garden. For now, staff is putting out the new tables in the morning and bringing them in at the end of the day.

NEW BUSINESS: The Senior Program soft opening is going well. The drop-in activities are being well attended and volunteers are coming back to staff the reception desk. Virtual activities have been discontinued.

The computer lab room has been converted to a conference room and the two remaining computers will be moved to the library.

Registration is open for Holiday Bazaar vendors. 36 spaces have been filled and there are 21 still available. The Senior Program is planning to offer food and will ask Boulevard Park Place to sponsor. There will most likely be no fundraising raffles.

Amy gave an update on the Aging and Disability free tablet program. This program has been very successful. Participants are using the tablets for socialization and telehealth, among other activities. Feedback has been very positive.

CARES Act funding was discussed. Councilmember Hill clarified the restrictions and focus for the next round of funds.

OLD BUSINESS: OPMA training will be postponed until the Committee is able to meet in person.

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 9:35 AM.