

SENIOR CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Meeting Minutes

April 18, 2022
9:00 AM

SeaTac Community Center
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CALL TO ORDER: The Senior Citizen Advisory Committee meeting was called to order at 9:01AM.

ROLL CALL: Present: Vicki Lockwood, Wayne Morgan, Judy Beste, Teresa Powell, Cynthia Sipes.
Absent: Veena Mehta.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF: Linda Croasdill, Recreation Supervisor; Amy Oliverson, Recreation Program Specialist; Angel Taherazer, Community Outreach Strategist

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Minutes dated March 21, 2023, were approved as written.

SEATAC CAFÉ UPDATE: New participants continue to increase. Catholic Community Services made some minor changes to the menu. Overall, things are going very well.

MONEY MANAGEMENT UPDATE: March statement from the Senior Program Fund at the Renton Regional Community Foundation was reviewed.

PURCHASES: Coffee, creamer, and sugar for the coffee bar and kitchen are being purchased with Advisory funds. Eight new Mah Jongg cards were purchased and received. The chairs in the craft room are getting worn and may need to be replaced soon.

NEW BUSINESS: We've started some new programs that have been very popular. The first cooking class was very well attended and the other classes currently scheduled have high enrollment. Nina is leading walking trips at area parks. Both are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays. The Mah Jongg party was very successful and we have restarted the drop-in group on Thursday afternoons.

Vicki updated the Committee on the King County Council on Aging meeting and a new scam targeting seniors. The city is holding a recycling event on April 29 at Tyee High School.

OLD BUSINESS: The AARP driver safety classes are filling up. Trip registration went very well; most trips are full. Senior program staff have had several appointments to assist with applications for farmer's market vouchers.

FUTURE TOPICS: Topics suggested: helping seniors understand recent developments in artificial intelligence; outreach for the Senior Program such as an open house or similar introductory event.

OTHER INFORMATION:

ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 10:01 AM.