## MEETING MINUTES FARMINGTON AREA COMMISSION ON AGING FARMINGTON CITY OFFICES FEBRUARY 25, 2014

CALLED TO ORDER BY: Chair Atkinson at 5:35pm

MEMBERS PRESENT: : Marsha Koet Senior Div. Liaison, Jeanne Atkinson, Mary Buchan, , Carl Christoph, Chuck Collins, Jane Frost, Kevin Hammer, Josephine Hobson Susan Lightner, Marian Schulte, Winson Wang, Rolland Walt, Norene Yuskawatz

**MEMBERS ABSENT: Lew Cantor and Richard Corey** 

**GUESTS: April Yerge** 

	AGENDA ITEM	DISCUSSION SUMMARY/PERTINENT INFO	FORMAL MOTIONS:
1	APPROVAL OF AGENDA	2-25-2014	Approved: Susan Lightner Seconded: Josephine Hobson Motion carried: unanimously
2	APPROVAL OF MINUTES	1-28-2014	Approved: Susan Lightner Seconded: Rolland Walt Motion carried: unanimously
3	AGENDA ITEM: COMMUNICATIONS, PROMOTIONS/WEBSITE	Wang is waiting for final copies of Resource Directory and survey from "What do residents over 50 want and need?" for the website.	
4	AGENDA ITEM: CFL	Frost shared a survey from the Offices of Services to the Aging regarding changes that have occurred in the Farmington area since receiving the Community for a Lifetime designation. Answers to the multiple questions were shared with the COA some of whom had additional material to be added. Wang and Atkinson also serve on this committee.	
5	AGENDA ITEM: WHAT DO RESIDENTS OVER 50 WANT AND NEED?	Hobson received suggestions regarding sample survey that was drawn up by the committee. Some changes made in numbering and wording. "Educational programs" were added to the offerings. An open ended question was added. Zip 48025 was eliminated. Any further additions or corrections should be sent to Hammer. Some clarification of fees for ads. Survey should be completed by March and on website. Information on accessing the survey will be in April water bills. Essential that correct email address be prominent. Survey will remain on line until September 30, 2014.	Changes will be made to the draft copy of the 2014 directory.  Approved: Carl Christoph Seconded: Jane Frost Motion carried: unanimously
6	AGENDA ITEM: PROJECT HEALTHY LIVING	Buchan has been unable to access information regarding costs and website registration. Some advertising and volunteer recruitment has been done. Botsford Hospital is continuing their support.	

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7	AGENDA ITEM:	Hammer reported pages are complete. Frost	Either profits or non-profits will be
	RESOURCE	asked for additional entries. Discussion	designated by asterisks in the
	DIRECTORY	followed regarding "for profits" and "non -	resource directory.
		profits". Some discussion of disclaimers in the	Approved: Winson Wang
		directory. Copy of directory will be presented	Seconded: Norene Yuskawatz
		and discussed once again at the March meeting.	Motion carried: unanimously
8	AGENDA ITEM:	Christoph reported that plans for the volunteer	There will be two recipients for the
	VOLUNTEER	recognition breakfast on April 9 have been	Maggie Loridas award for the year
	RECOGNITION	finalized. COA members read and discussed	2014.
	RECEPTION	nominations for the gold and the Maggie	Approved: Josephine Hobson
		Loridas Diamond Award. Voting followed and	Seconded: Susan Lightner
		recipients were chosen. Set up is April 8.	Motion carried: unanimously.
9	AGENDA ITEM:	At the request of the Farmington City Council	
	CITY COUNCIL	Jane Frost will speak at the March 24 meeting.	
	REPRESENTATIVE	Members are urged to attend to show support.	
		She will also solicit a new member for COA.	
10	AGENDA ITEM:	Barn Dance 2/28 @7-11 for 21 and over.	
	SENIOR DIVISION	Alcohol will be available for purchase. Nutrition	
	LIASION REPORT	audit went well. Special Bingo scheduled.	
		Shredding is 3/11. Drug Take Back will be held	
		3/18 at the Costick Center. Tiger Opening party	
		on 3/31. COA Prevention Presentation is 3/28.	
11	NEW BUSINESS	Frost reported on library meeting attended by	
		her and Atkinson. They represented the older	
		members of the community and were pleased by	
		the large segments of society that were present.	
		Most support seems to be for increased	
		technological devices at the library.	
12	Ambassador	Children, Youth and Family: Wang will serve as	
	Reports	liaison.	
		EPC Yuskawatz reported Preparedness Seminar	
		weekly from 3/5 to 4/9. CPR will be offered in	
		April. Article regarding EPC openings brought	
		23 applicants.	
		WMCA: Program on Affordable Care Act on	
		March 4 at 7 PM. Kickoff for annual campaign	
		is 2/27 at 7:30 am. All invited.	
		Parks and Rec. Christoph says archery court will	
		be available soon. Five year plan is accepted and	
		published.	
11	PUBLIC COMMENTS	No comments were received.	
12	ADJOURNMENT		Meeting adjourned at7:30
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13	MINUTES PREPARED	Mary Buchan, Secretary	Next meeting, March 25, 2014
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