

Commission on Aging Meeting

Memorandum for Monday, April 13th at 3:00 p.m.

This meeting was held in the McCloskey Conference Room (Suite 135, City Hall, 401 N. Morton St).

The meeting was called to order at approximately 3:04 p.m.

Commission members present in person: Rob Council, Stacy Bruce, Danielle Willis, David Jennings, Sandra McGow, Wendy Rubin

Commission members present over Zoom: None

Commission members absent: Dayna Thompson

City staff and elected officials present: Marissa Parr Scott

Were members of the public present: YES, Ali Alani, Islamic Senior Care

Roll Call

6 Commissioners present, quorum established

Approval of Agenda and Approval of Memoranda/Minutes

Approved, 6 yays, 0 nays

Reports

1. City Liaison
 - a. Marissa reports that COA still has two vacant commission seats, both are mayoral appointments
 - b. Marissa will follow-up with Julius from the Office of the Mayor for an update
2. Chair/Commissioners
 - a. Dayna sent a Chair report to Marissa to discuss with the group regarding senior events at Banneker Center. She brainstormed the following ideas and asked for feedback
 - i. Memory cafes,dancing/music programs, Improv, museum programming, "Cooking for 1 or 2" cooking classes, storytelling groups, support groups, exercise for seniors, clothing/item swaps, grandparenting classes, gardening
 - ii. Commissioners agreed that these are good ideas and would like to invite Leslie Brinson and Kevin Terrell to a future COA meeting to discuss the plausibility of these things
 - iii. Marissa will invite Leslie and Kevin to a meeting
 - b. Sandra will be presenting Senior Living 101 at the YMCA in April
 - c. Chris Myers from Area 10 is retiring
 - i. Sandra will write a FB post for Marissa to share on April 24th

3. Public Comment

Old Business Updates

- 1.

New Business

1. 50+ Expo
 - a. Sandra volunteered to attend on behalf of COA

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at approximately 3:51 p.m.