

### **Hampden Council on Aging – May 9, 2023**

In attendance: Deb Mahoney, Becky Moriarty, Marty Jacque, Cliff Bombard, Susanna Haskins, Nancy Willowby and Dee Vermette.

Not attending: Monique Downey and Cheryl Delvischio

Deb Mahoney called the meeting to order at 9:03 AM.

Meeting minutes for April Secretary's Report, 2023 were read and accepted.

Becky went over the Treasurers Report. Treasurers report accepted.

Becky presented the Directors Report and Outreach Report. The shred/re-cycle event was a big success and just under \$2000 was added to the Building Fund. Budget given to the Selectman at the Town Meeting and there were no problems. Many activities still happening at the Senior Center.

May is Older American month and there are there are different programs being offered during the month. The Scribe lists the different programs.

A new candidate for the open position on the COA board was introduced and was interviewed by the COA Board members. Juanita Markham had submitted an application for the open position for the under 60 position. She gave the board information about herself and then was interviewed. The board voted to offer her the open position and now the Board of Selectman will make to decision to offer her the position.

Wendy is always very busy with the Outreach programs being offered.

There were no new issues discussed at the annual meeting regarding the Building Committee as there were no requests needed for funds at this time.

The request to expand the current hours of the Senior Center which are from 9AM to 3PM to 8AM to 4PM has been on the list of things to look at. This was discussed at our meeting and Becky feels that this could possibly be done without having to request additional funds for the budget. She has a meeting scheduled with staff next week to talk about this.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:50AM.

Next Meeting June 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM

Respectfully submitted for May 9<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Marty Jacque