## Hampden Council on Aging – June 12, 2018

In attendance: Marty Jacque, Ed Norman, Becky Moriarty, Cliff Bombard, Suzanna Haskins, Nancy Willoughby and John Shay

Absent: Deanna Vermette, Monique Downey and Deb Mahoney

Meeting called to order by Marty at 9:11 AM

New members Cliff Bombard and Suzanna Haskins welcomed. The third candidate, Bill Joy, decided that he did not want to be on the COA board.

Secretary report accepted

Treasurer report accepted. Suzanna had some questions regarding the State Grant which Becky answered.

Director's report accepted. June 16<sup>th</sup> will be date of the walk for Alzheimer's. This year's walk will benefit the Memory Café.

The Senior Center will also host the MA Senior Games Shuffleboard competition on July 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>. Becky explained that this is an excellent opportunity for the Senior Center.

Activities: The next dinner dance is scheduled for June 23<sup>rd</sup> if more people sign up for it. Right now there are not too many signed up. This weekend will be the deadline as to whether it happens or not.

The washer and dryer that were scheduled to be installed will not happen as there is no place to put them at this time.

Outreach: The Farm Share program has started and the SNAP participants will begin receiving their vegetables in July.

GSSSI: John Shay gave an update as to what is happening at the Greater Springfield Senior Services meetings.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:45 AM

Respectfully submitted

Marty Jacque