

# **Talbot County Commission on the Aging**

## **Meeting Minutes**

Location: Brookletts Place Talbot Senior Center  
400 Brookletts Ave. Easton, MD 21601  
Wednesday, June 14, 2023 at 8:30 a.m.

Members Present: Carrie Ottey (pending); Kate Stinton; Jenna Marchi; Marion Donahue; Rachel Smith; Lee Newcomb, Megan Murray; Andy Holllis; Ellen Taggert; Veda Gibson; Grace Lyons; Lynn Mielke

Members Absent: Terry Satchell; Childlene Brooks; Jen Pierson

Guest: Ejjyah Taylor (Parterns in Care)

- I. Call to order- 8:33 am
- II. Treasurers Report-Marion
  - a. \$1486.94- current balance
  - b. No deposits/ no expenditures
- III. Business
  - a. Approve Minutes- Minutes approved
  - b. Suggestion to send congratulatory card to Bill Shrieves- Jenna Marchi to complete
- IV. Committees
  - a. Community Outreach
    - i. Senior Supply Drive
    - ii. Discussion of hosting a Senior Resource Fair (Lee, Carrie, Megan. Andy)
      1. Transportation
      2. Fundraising- Vendor Table Charge- Identify recipient of funds
  - b. Website/Social Media
    - i. Discussion of Facebook “boosts”
    - ii. Health Department & Social Services to post & share

c. Marketing

i. Talbot Spy Senior Interviews (Quarterly)

1. Senior Supply Drive w/ Kate Stinton completed

V. Current member information updates-All

- a. Senior Care- Carrie (Community Health Nurse Supervisor) transitioning into Kate Stinton's position
- b. Home Instead Fundraiser Give 65, to benefit Meals on Wheels (beginning July 12 for 5 hours). More information to be distributed.
- c. County Council working w/ University of MD Hospital for new hospital. Gov. Hogan committed 100 million and Gov. Moore withdrew and committed 10 million. Currently fundraising issues in support of the hospital.
- d. Mayla Rider will be presenting at next month's meeting about Medicare changes
- e. Marion has been appointed to the Mid Shore Nursing Assistant Advisory Council. The Council is seeking nominations for Nursing Assistant of the year- Ceremony will be September 14 at Chesapeake College.
- f. Community Resource Meeting- July 18, 8:30 am at Brooklett's Place (lee Newcomb for more information)

VI. Report from Area Agency on Aging

- a. Andy gave thanks to participants during Secretary of Aging visit at Talbot Senior Center
- b. Andy gave thanks to Lynn Mielke and County Council for supporting Upper Shore Aging in annual budget requests

VII. Adjournment- 9:42

Next meeting will be July 12, 2023 at 8:30 am.

**VISION:**

ENHANCE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL SENIORS IN TALBOT COUNTY

**MISSION:**

THE COMMISSION ON AGING WILL ADVISE THE TALBOT COUNTY COUNCIL ON ISSUES AFFECTING SENIORS AND ADVOCATE FOR CHANGE