

## Senior Citizen Advisory Committee (SCAC) Minutes

Tuesday, September 26, 2017

**Present:** Brenda Cooley, Marti Galvin, Jeannette Grotke, Henry Haslinger (chair elect), Frank Pearlman, Bernard Robbs, Ronnie Scotkin, Betty Timer (secretary), Paula Williams (chair), David West

**Absent:** Bunny Fitzgerald, Karen Haseley (city liaison)

**Guest:** Dora Hamm

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 by secretary/ acting chair, Betty Timer. The agenda was approved (moved by Ronnie Scotkin and seconded by David West.) The minutes of the previous meeting was approved (moved by Henry Haslinger and seconded by Jeannette Grotke.)

**OLD BUSINESS:** FORA/GAIL update: The flu clinic at Spring Hill Lake Recreation Center is scheduled on October 12 from 1:00- 7:00 pm. The Greenbelt Health Fair is at the Community Center on October 17 from 10:00-2:00. Free produce distribution is on Thursday, September 28 at Green Ridge House. The following distribution will be at Spring Hill Lake Elementary on November 2 from 2:30-4:00. The GAIL program announced a partnership with the American Heart Association entitled "Check. Change. Control." Registration is on October 2 to October 13. Call the GAIL office for more information.

**WIDOWED PERSONS** update: The next session is scheduled for October at Bowie Senior Center.

**OPEN FORUM** evaluations and discussion: The report submitted by Betty Timer was read and discussed. No action was taken at this meeting. The priorities list at the conclusion of the Open Forum brought more ideas than were said during the meeting. It was suggested that next year we should give the attendees an opportunity to write their issues as well as verbalizing them.

**NEW BUSINESS:** Information about member Bunny Fitzgerald was shared. We all wished her a speedy recovery! Betty Timer will send a card to her from the SCAC.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:** A Contra Dance is at the Youth Center on October 7. The Advisory Dinner is on October 8 at the Community Center. If you are interested in attending you need to RSVP at the City Office. Octoberfest is scheduled for October 27 at 1:30 in the Community Center gym.

A motion to adjourn (moved by Frank Pearlman and seconded by Henry Haslinger.) The next meeting is October 31 at 3:30pm.

Respectfully submitted, **Marti Galvin / Betty Timer**