

**CITY OF BRISTOL, CONNECTICUT  
COMMISSION ON AGING MEETING  
Thursday, June 15, 2023 - Regular Meeting Minutes  
Bristol Senior Center – 240 Stafford Avenue  
Bristol, CT 06010 – Phone: 860-584-7895 Room #109**

**Present:** Chairman Larry Zbikowski, Vice Chairman Sheila Herens, Commissioners Cathy Duck, Ellen McCusker, George Irving, Executive Director Patricia Tomascak, Secretary Jason Krueger, Council Liaison Jacqueline Olsen, and Mayor Jeffrey Caggiano.

**Absent:** Commissioners Chris Leigh & Dolores Ricker

**Meeting Called to order:** Chairman Larry Zbikowski called the meeting to order at 11:02am

**Approval of Minutes:** *Commissioner Herens moved to accept the minutes from the May 18, 2023 Meeting, seconded by Commissioner Duck, All in Favor.*

**Public Participation:** Paul Norton shared his frustrations with the codes for people with Disabilities as they related to his business.

**Council/Mayor Update:** Mayor Caggiano talked about Bristol Health being interested in building on the Senior Center property possibility. Councilwoman Olsen touted the Farmer's Market starting this Saturday and Bristol Auto club show on Saturday night.

**Correspondence:** Executive Director Tomascak read a thank you letter from one of the gardeners.

**Unfinished Business:** Executive Director Tomascak reported that work started in the courtyard where the stump was removed, overgrown plants were removed, and it was top soiled and seeded.

**New Business:** none

**Any other business:** Executive Director Tomascak reported the statistics for the past month is as follows: In May we had 6227 participants, total membership was 5,199, with 14 members' deceased and 27 new members. Our fundraiser total ends at \$23,290.00.

Executive Director Tomascak reported that our upcoming events include; A Father's Day Dinner on June 16<sup>th</sup>, our Volunteer Dinner on June 22<sup>nd</sup>, Two Pasta Dinner fundraisers on July 13 & August 10, A Funny Friday on August 25, Bingo on July 28, A Hot Dog Roast on August 16, and the Manross Library readers parade on August 7<sup>th</sup>.

The next meeting of the Commission on Aging will be on Thursday, September 21, 2023 at 11:00am in Room #109.

**Adjournment:** *Commissioner Duck moved "to adjourn" at 11:20 a.m., seconded by Commissioner McCusker. All in favor.*

Respectfully submitted, Jason Krueger, Secretary to the Commission