



**Schaumburg Township
Senior Citizens Services Committee
Minutes**

Tuesday, March 21, 2023

- I. Call to Order
Chairperson Croke called the meeting to order at 7pm.

- II. Roll Call (those in attendance)
Nancy Croke
Linda Kasinger
Marilyn Pande
Kathy Ray
Sheva Wohlhart
Director Cordes

- III. Approval of February 21, 2023 Minutes
Motion made by Kathy Ray to approve the February 21, 2023 minutes. Seconded by Linda Kasinger.
Motion Carried.

- IV. Public Comments
None

- V. Reports
 - a. Chairperson's Report
Chairperson Croke says the fitness classes offered are phenomenal and the instructors are great. She started attending Zumba and really enjoys it.

 - b. Trustee Liaison's Report
None

 - c. Director's Report
Director Cordes reported there are a couple new programs starting soon. Meditation will start the third Friday of the month this month and a second class of Fit for Life is scheduled to start on Fridays in May. Director Cordes will be at the American Society on Aging conference "On Aging 2023" next week in Atlanta, Georgia. This is the largest multidisciplinary conference on aging in the United States.

- VI. Old Business
 - a. Funded Agency Reports
Reviews. No action items.

 - b. AARP Foundation Tax Aide
April appointments are now open. Appointments are on track to assist around 800 taxpayers this year.

 - c. Staffing Update

Director Cordes announced Francis Domingo was hired as Assistant Director for Disability & Senior Services. Frances comes from Hanover Township and has over 6 years of experience assisting clients with benefit program applications. Her anticipated start date is April 3.

VII. New Business

a. AgeOptions Grants

Disability & Senior Services was awarded a MIPPA Grant of \$6,000 for providing education and application assistance for low-income Medicare Programs including the Medicare Savings Program and the Extra Help program.

b. Committee Member Updates/Questions

Committee members expressed disappointment in the lateness of the Access Point this month. Director Cordes assured members that the timeline for publishing has been updated to ensure this won't happen again.

Committee members requested Trustee Steward provide a written report when he's unable to attend the committee meeting in person. Director Cordes will touch base with Trustee Steward.

VIII. Adjournment

Kathy Ray motioned to adjourn. Sheva Wohlhart seconded. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:43pm.