



## SENIOR ADVISORY COMMISSION

Agenda for June 16, 2022 – 9:00am  
NYA City Hall Council Chambers

### SENIOR ADVISORY COMMISSION and PARTNERS

*Communicating the social, economic, recreational, cultural, and personal needs of the senior portion of the City's population.*

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#### COMMISSION MEMBERS

Carolyn Durbin\*, LaVonne Kroells\*, Lois Schultz\*, Tom Simmons\*, Kay Hampshire\*, Cathleen Williams\*, Mary Spille\*, Elroy Latzig\*, Betty Settergren\*

#### SENIOR HOUSING ADVISORS

Ranemma Walker – The Haven, Laurie Hilgers – The Harbor, Brenda Schmitz – Peace Villa, Shannon Slavik – Oak Grove

#### COMMUNITY/CITY REPRESENTATIVES

Alan Krueger\*- City Council, Karen Hallquist – City Hall, Corp. Jordan Voigt –CC Sheriff Office, Dawn Plummer– CC Public Health  
(\* ) voting members

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1. Call meeting to order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Adopt agenda
4. Approve minutes from May 19, 2022
5. Updates

#### **Monitor and expand housing options for seniors -**

- 5.1 Senior Residence Updates
  - a. Harbor / Haven
  - b. Peace Villa
  - c. Oak Grove

#### **Provide safe options for seniors to get around -**

- 5.2 City Bus Update
  - 5.2.1 Shopping Trips
  - 5.2.2 "Out & About" Trips
    - \* Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> – Goodwill/Chaska – CANCELLED
    - \* Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> – General Store Minnetonka

#### **Identify and promote education and social options for seniors -**

- 5.3 NYA Senior Center – next opening date is September 21, 2022
- 5.3 Carver County Public Health
- 5.4 Carver County Sheriff's Department
- 5.5 Water Aerobics

6. New Business

- 6.1 Food Distribution – Friday, July 8<sup>th</sup> (due to holiday weekend)– 2-3:30pm

7. Old Business

8. NYA City Council Update

9. Adjournment

Next Senior Advisory Meeting – Thursday, July 21, 2022 @ 9:00am @ City Hall

June 21, 2022	Park and Recreation Commission Meeting	4:45 PM
June 27, 2022	Workshop/EDA/City Council Meeting	5:00 PM/6:00 PM
July 5, 2022	Planning Commission Meeting	6:00pm
July 8, 2022	NYA Food Distribution	2-3:30pm
July 11, 2022	City Council Meeting	6:00pm
July 13, 2022	EDC Meeting	6:00pm
July 19, 2022	Parks & Recreation Meeting	4:45pm
July 21, 2022	Senior Advisory Meeting	9:00am

**Senior Advisory Commission**  
**May 19, 2022, 9am**  
**Minutes**

Commissioners In Attendance: LaVonne Kroells, Lois Schultz, Tom Simmons, Kay Hampshire, Cathleen Williams, Mary Spille, Betty Settergren, Elroy Latzig, Alan Krueger  
Advisors in Attendance: Laurie Hilgers, Deputy Jordan Voigt, Dawn Plummer  
City Staff: Karen Hallquist  
Others:

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**1. Call meeting to order**

Kroells called the meeting to order at 9am.

**2. Pledge of Allegiance**

**3. Adopt agenda**

Motion: LS/KH to approve. Motion passed 8-0.

**4. Approve minutes from February 17, 2022**

Motion: TS/LS with passed 8-0.

**5. Updates**

**Monitor and expand housing options for seniors -**

**5.1 Senior Residence Updates**

**a. Harbor / Haven**

Simmons shared there are 9 open apts in the Harbor, 4 in the Haven and Reflections is full. Hilgers shared that the Ecumen HR/consultants reviewed the facilities and gave great feedback on how well cared for the residents are, good food and services, and a great facility. Hilgers shared they are still hiring for RA's and dining assistants. Activities are picking up including planting flowers with the Lions. They are holding off on a Fall Ball, however, hoping for a Spring Fling.

**b. Peace Villa**

Simmons shared the construction project will start the first part of July. Price increased from \$639,000 to \$1M.

**c. Oak Grove**

No update.

**Provide safe options for seniors to get around -**

**5.2 City Bus Update**

**5.2.1 Shopping Trips**

Hallquist shared that the shopping trips going well.

**5.2.2 "Out & About" Trips**

Hallquist shared that no one is signed up for the Victoria trip. Feedback was that the restaurant is too expensive.

**Identify and promote education and social options for seniors -**

**5.3NYA Senior Center -**

Kroells shared there were 25 people at the last NYA Senior Center day. The next Senior Center will be Wed, September 21<sup>st</sup> as there is a Bloodmobile the first Wednesday of September.

**5.3.1 Lunch & Learn**

Hallquist shared there is no update at this time.

**5.4 Carver County Public Health**

Plummer encouraged seniors to talk to their primary physician about when their fourth booster should be taken. Boosters are available at the Chaska Gov't Center to the public on Tuesdays from 2-6pm. CCPH nurses are available to reserve a spot at 952-361-1559. They also have an option to do boosters at resident's homes. Plummer shared there is a Senior Expo (non-covid related) in Victoria soon.

**5.5 Carver County Sheriff's Department**

Voigt shared that there will be more patrols in the area the next two weeks concentrating on seatbelt safety. Voigt reminded the commissioners about watching for motorcycles and no texting while driving. Kroells questioned the seatbelt clips - she will look at her AARP information. Commissioners mentioned the concern with left turns at Hwy 212 and Faxon. 55 Alive class will be coming to town soon.

**New Business**

**6.1 Food Distribution - Friday, June 3, 2022**

Hallquist shared information about the Food Distribution, there are eight (8) new community garden plots added, the raingardens at City Hall are being killed off and replanted in 2023, and kids/students/parents will have an opportunity to get lunch meals at the pavilion every Monday from Jun 13<sup>th</sup> -August 15<sup>th</sup> courtesy of CCPH, Gather & Grow Food Shelf in Waconia, and City of NYA. Hallquist also mentioned updates on the Meadows/Budahn property and the masonic building.

**6. Old Business**

**7. NYA City Council Update**

Krueger gave an update on the following:

- Speed limits around Central Schools will be 20mph all the time.
- Prairie Dawn Trail will be seal coated soon.
- Gopher State Seal Cost will be doing streets in town for \$63,000
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave construction has started.
- RFQ for architect will be hired for Old Town.
- New building inspector starting June 1<sup>st</sup>.

Kroells shared that the bandshell dedication will be Thursday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:45pm.

Spille asked staff to check to see if aerobics could be offered at the pool.

**Adjournment**

Motion: KH/CW to adjourn at 9:58am. Motion passed 8-0.

**Next Senior Advisory Meeting – Thursday, June 16, 2022 @ 9:00am @ City Hall**

**Submitted by:**

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Karen Hallquist, Economic Development Director