

TOWN OF GRANBY
Commission on Aging
MINUTES
May 8, 2023

Members present: Vice Chairman Jennifer Jalbert, Ellen Thomson, Kim Becker, Skip Mission, Mae Collins, Judy Jones, Kathy Garlasco

Staff: Sandra Yost; Director of Human services, Jennifer Kielbasa; Program Coordinator

Call to order: A quorum was present, and Vice Chairman Jalbert called the meeting to order at 9:38 a.m.

Minutes

On a MOTION by E. Thomson, seconded by K. Garlasco, the Commission voted unanimously (7-0-0) to approve the minutes of April 10, 2023, with the amendment made that there were 8 voting members present to vote in the adjournment.

Chairmans Report:

- Looking for Department of Aging and Disabilities Services ARPA funds update-will table for this meeting.

Directors Report:

- Department of Aging and Disabilities Services ARPA funds-Granby to receive close to \$31,000. The monies need to be spent by June 2024.
- Kitchen remodel update: Several meetings in the next couple of weeks to receive more details on status and scope of project.

Activities:

- Italy is sold out. Japan had ten seats, all sold, will be contacting Collette to reserve more seats.
- Veterans lunch is May 24-Volunteers from the Air Force base at Bradley will be volunteering.
- Holcomb Farms Fresh Access program starts in June.
- All About social media- Presented by Jennifer Kielbasa is full.
- The Daffodil Friendship Tour trip is full for May.

New Business:

- The Commission discussed activities/events/different ways to be involved in the Senior Center and community.

Old Business:

On a motion by K. Becker, seconded by E. Thomson, the Commission voted unanimously (7-0-0) to adopt the revised COA Bylaws and Job Description.

Adjournment:

On a MOTION by J Jalbert, seconded by K. Becker, the commission voted unanimously (9-0-0) to adjourn at 10:53 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Vanessa Berrelli

Recording Secretary