



Town of Strathmore

## Senior's Advisory Committee

Monday, March 1, 2021 at 3:00 pm

ZOOM Meeting

### APPROVED MINUTES

#### IN ATTENDANCE:

#### BOARD MEMBERS

Lynne Fair	Public Member
Steve Fry	Chairperson
Denise Peterson	Councillor
Teresa Stark	Public Member
Linda Storkson	Public Member
Margery Weatherby	Public Member
Phyllis Allen	Public Member

#### RECORDING SECRETARY

DEBRA HEEMERYCK	Senior Legislative Assistant
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#### STAFF

Catherine Walsh	Manager, Community & Social Development
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#### REGRETS

#### 1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Steve Fry called the meeting to order at 3:00PM.

Donna Klassen joined as a guest. Steve Fry introduced Margery Weatherby and Phyllis Allen

#### 2.0 CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

##### **Resolution No. 004.03.21**

Moved by Lynne Fair

THAT the Committee adopt the Senior's Advisory Committee Agenda for March 1, 2021 with the following additions:

6.1 Interagency Meeting Update

6.2 Letter to Editor Strathmore Times

CARRIED

#### 3.0 CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

##### **Resolution No. 005.03.21**

Moved by Lynne Fair

THAT the Committee adopt the February 1, 2021 Senior's Advisory Committee Minutes as presented.

CARRIED

**4.0 UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- 4.1 Resource Books      Advised Strathmore Times not able to assist. Lynn Fair to check with Wheatland Chamber of Commerce to see if they can assist.
- 4.2 AUMA Resolution      Draft resolution sent to committee to review. Would like to include nutrition, care time, social interaction and sanitation. Also inspections without notice which would include penalties and follow up. Denise Peterson to update resolution for next meeting.

**5.0 ITEMS FROM ADMINISTRATION**

- 5.1 Mental Health (standing item)      Relation to mental health FCSS is applying for a grant Canada Health Communities Grant which has 31 million available, just under 100,000 and would like Senior's Advisory to provide letter of support. Catherine to send letter for review.

**Resolution No. 006.03.21**

Moved by Teresa Stark

THAT the Committee provide a letter of support for FCSS grant.

CARRIED

- 5.2 Community & Social Development Update (Standing Item)      Tax program is available and FCSS will be providing appointments.

Delivery service for people who are isolated who can't get out is still available through FCSS.

Lynne Fair asked for information to be included in the utility insert and also place notices in the senior's homes, public board in the Library when it opens.

**6.0 NEW BUSINESS**

- 6.1 Letter to Editor Strathmore Times & Strathmore Now      Committee reviewed and approved letter.  
  
Send to the Town of Strathmore for permission as approved by seniors advisory committee to local media.

**Resolution No. 007.03.21**

Moved by Lynne Fair

THAT the committee bring forward the letter to Council for approval to send to the local media.

CARRIED

6.2 Interagency Meeting Update

- New wellness resource line available to seniors.
- Seniors lunch club need a new place to meet when we are available to meet.
- Town delivery system was discussed. Also need for seniors to downsize your home.....a need for that.
- High demand for senior's activity bags WFCSS was handing out which is just for County residents.
- No Senior's Power workshop this year.
- Senior's resource book available at the health unit office. Mental health Seniors abuse policy protocol and would be looking for community members. Would be nice if someone from the committee could be on the committee.

7.0 URGENT BUSINESS

None.

8.0 IN CAMERA ITEMS

None.

9.0 ADJOURNMENT

**Resolution No. 008.03.21**

Moved by Denise Peterson

THAT the Committee adjourn the March 1, 2021 Senior's Advisory Committee meeting at 4:00PM.

CARRIED

NEXT MEETING IS APRIL 12, 2021

Chairperson

Recording Secretary