

Ad Hoc Senior Advisory Committee
5 Mar 2019
Location: Graves Library Business Center

Attendance: Bill Leffler, Susan Boak, George Acker, Amy Francis and Beverly Soule (applying member)

Absent: Ken Olsen

We all welcomed applying member Beverly Soule. Her application will be reviewed at the next Selectmen's meeting, Mar 14th.

The committee reviewed pending action items:

SAC_AI_31 and **SAC_AI_34** Bill has spoken with Portside Rotary concerning speakers we'd like to promote and they are receptive. No firm dates yet.

SAC_AI_32 Amy has reviewed the Town website and found that a fairly comprehensive listing of services of interest to seniors can be found, with links, on the Public Health Dept page.

SAC_AI_33 Susan has set up a meeting with Town Manager, Laurie Smith, and our committee on March 18th.

SAC_AI_35 George has received information from the Lighting Committee regarding the cost involved in street lighting. He will continue to investigate possible cost of installing a light at the Maine Street crossing at Graves Library.

New action items developed at this meeting:

SAC_AI_36 assigned to **Bill**, contact Molly Hadley of No Place Like Home to ask about possible shoveling crews available for seniors

SAC_AI_37 assigned to **Susan**, ask Tom (spouse) for help in setting up conference phone meetings. This would be a possible method of connecting York County Community Action Corp with Habitat for Humanity to orchestrate cooperative aid.

In addition to establishing several action items there was considerable discussion about the presentation authored by Susan Boak in preparation for our upcoming meeting with our Town Manager. The presentation outlines the current public assistance programs available to our community and the need for these programs to work together. We would like to enable that cooperation. We also discussed a couple of initiatives that could be acted on in town which would assist in night time vision reduction awareness and how to mitigate it.

Our next meeting has been scheduled for March 18th at 2:00PM at Kennebunkport Town Hall.

Respectfully Submitted,
Amy Francis