



SENIOR CENTER COMMITTEE MEETING March 7, 2025

Senior Center Committee members convened in-person on March 7, 2025, at McGovern Park Senior Center 4500 W. Custer Avenue Milwaukee, WI 53218 and members attending via ZOOM.

Members Present:

Commissioner Eugene Guskowski, Chair
Commissioner Mark Behar
Commissioner Crocker Stephenson
Kent Mayfield (Zoom)
Alice Steuck Konkel (Zoom)

Members Excused:

Commissioner Terrence R. Moore Sr.
Commissioner Amber Miller
Ramona Dicks Williams
Howard Snyder
Ted Rehl

Staff Present:

Ortrialla Paris *DHHS*
Daniel Idzikowski *DHHS*
Jill Knight, *DHHS*
Carrie Koss Vallejo *DHHS*

Attendees from the Public

Shannon Downie *SOA*
Cathy Wood *SOA*

MINUTES

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Chair Gene Guskowski called the meeting to order at 1:10pm p.m. Dan Idzikowski, Aging Unit Director took roll; a quorum was not present.

II. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE February 7, 2025 MEETING MINUTES

Approval of Minutes held over to next meeting. Quorum not present.

Meeting proceeded with discussion, informational only on the following items due to no quorum present:

III. HUBS report and exploration of the means Review of Strategic Goals related to senior center 2025-2027 Area Aging Plan and MKE to implement them.

IV. UPDATE ON DATA REPORTING WITH SOA(Serving Older Adults) Carrie Koss Vallejo provided information on data reporting with SOA. Gaps discussed with SOA staff include the following strategies:

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- 1) Incorporate clients 50-60 years of age to track within Peer Place. Ms. Koss Vallejo will work to develop a space within Peer Place to track data.
- 2) Tracking programs that are not funded with Older American's Act however these are very unusual. Shannon Downie (SOA Director of Senior Centers) will flag any potential programs.
- 3) Individuals, especially those who walk into the senior centers and are unregistered and engage in programs without using the My Senior Center kiosks.
- 4) Events with unregistered individuals-Ms. Koss Vallejo will work with the State in how to track in Peer Place.

Updates will continue to be provided at future meetings as needed. Discussion continued.

V. ADJOURNMENT: Meeting adjourned at 2:45 p.m.

The next Senior Center Committee meeting will be April 4, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

Jill Knight

Program Coordinator