Uxbridge Council on Aging Minutes

Date: Tuesday, November 14, 2023

Place: Uxbridge Senior Center/Zoom

Time: 3 PM

Attendance: Director Lisa Bernard, Gail Boutiette, Arlene Kurowski, Betty Tancrell,

Sally Selvidge, Edna Coffin & Millie DeLeonardis. Absent: Jean Lawson.

Minutes of October meeting read and approved.

Director's Report: (attached)

Activities: Activities on hold due to staffing

BVT Restaurant trip and Halloween party on Oct 27 with Tommy Rull entertainer (paid thru the cultural grant) was well attended.

Upcoming events: Thanksgiving luncheon scheduled for Nov 17 with Tim Brooks entertainer. Prism musical at UHS on Dec 19 with lunch served. Christmas party scheduled for Dec 14 with Tommy Rull and Santa will be Russell Wise. New Years at Noon party set for Dec 28 with an entertainer paid with the Cultural Grant. Thanksgiving lunch distribution set for Monday Nov 20 with Mendon Street Kitchen catering this event, will provide option of delivery or pick up. Current count of 260 meals. Cost of \$16 per person to Mendon Street Kitchen.

Zumba & Low Impact classes continue with last class scheduled for mid-

December. We will resume classes in the early Spring.

Formula Grant deficit of \$8000, Director spoke with EOEA, MCOA and Rep Soter. Director applied for a SIG (State Incentive Grant) through MCOA for \$25,000 to replace Chevy Impala for Transportation Program. Await decision UEC Golf Tournament held on Oct 16- Raised over \$9,000

UMass Gerontology Assessment approved at Fall Town meeting. Project to begin January 1, 2024, through the end of 2024.

No news on the van carport-still waiting for Facilities Director COA discussed possibly increasing hot lunch program requested donation to \$5 from \$3-will carry on this discussion at future meetings.

- Meeting adjourned at 3:41pm, next meeting Dec 12, 2023 at 3pm Respectfully submitted,

Gail Boutiette, Chair

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