

# APPROVED SENIOR ADVISORY BOARD

Minutes of the June 1, 2015 Meeting

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 a.m. in the meeting room of the Oak Ridge Senior Center by Vice Chairperson Robert Smallridge.

ECAB members present: Marty Adler-Jasny, Susan Asbury, Gene Dunaway, LeRoy Gilliam, Hal Schmitt, Alfred Skyberg, Robert Smallridge and Wendy Williams.

ECAB members absent: Elizabeth Batchelor.

Also present: Linda McGhee, Recreation Manager, Oak Ridge Senior Center.

VISITORS: Pat Gengozian and Jan Johnson Nelson, Knoxville-Knox County Community Action Committee

**MINUTES APPROVAL:** Minutes of the May 4, 2015 meeting were approved.

## **APPEARANCE OF CITIZENS**

None

## **REPORTS**

### SENIOR CENTER RECREATION MANAGER REPORT

Linda McGhee reported the following:

- 1.) June Calendar of activities was distributed and the Senior Center will be closed on Friday and Saturday, June 12 and 13 for the Secret City Festival.
- 2.) Walking group to meet at Civic Center on June 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9 a.m. to walk for about an hour. Check with desk the day before for weather related postponements.
- 3.) Lunch and Learn on the Ombudsman program for the East Tennessee area at noon on June 18<sup>th</sup>. Call the office to reserve a spot.
- 4.) Taxi Coupon Recertification will be held on June 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>.

### RECENT ACTIONS OF CITY COUNCIL

None

### OAK RIDGE SENIOR FOUNDATION REPORT

None

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

The bylaws were reviewed but any changes were postponed to the July 6<sup>th</sup> meeting.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

Janice Johnson Nelson with the Knoxville-Knox County Community Action Commission spoke with the Board about the 211 information system. This system was described by Jan as the “flipside of 911” and as the most comprehensive way to get non-emergency information. It is a nationwide system but calls are answered in our immediate area.

A memo to the City Manager and City council regarding adequate and appropriate space for a permanent location for the Senior Center was discussed. The memo, with a few changes, was approved to be sent to City manager and City Council members. The motion to approve was made by Marty Adler-Jasny and the second was from Al Skyberg. The vote was unanimous.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

None

## **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 10:56 a.m.

Submitted by

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Linda McGhee, Recreation Manager

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Robert Smallridge, Board Vice Chairperson