

WORKING GROUP
Living and Aging Well Ad Hoc Committee
March 17, 2014

Meeting Minutes

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 9:00 am. The following committee members were in attendance: Joyce Lew, Pat Collett, Florence Miller, Norman Miller, Ada Anderson, Susan Riehl and Community Outreach Coordinator, Kristen Knoll

2. Approval of the February 24, 2014 Meeting Minutes

Pat Collett moved and Florence Miller seconded to approve the February 24, 2014 Meeting Minutes. The motion passed unanimously by those members present.

3. Douglas County Community Foundation Review

Joyce and Sharon attended a meeting with the DCCF and learned that we need to identify that we're associated with them on our website and in our publications.

4. Douglas County Senior Council Membership – Vote

Ada and Sharon attended the last DougCo Senior Council meeting and it was suggested to the Committee that the group become a member at the "associate member" level. This means that the Committee is allowed one vote. The Committee discussed the decision and decided that there is value in having the group represented.

Norman Miller moved and Pat Collett seconded to approve the Committee's cost-free membership with the Douglas County Senior Council. The motion passed unanimously by those members present.

5. Meeting/Forum on Dementia Discussion

The Committee discussed holding a panel or forum on dementia and perhaps partnering with Jodie McCann with Highlands Ranch. Other ideas included having a continental breakfast, holding the event at LTAC in the Event Hall and having speakers like Natalie Grace with Azura Memor Center and representatives from the Alzheimer's Association.

This event could have two sessions (1 speaker/short break/1 speaker format) and be on a Saturday morning between Arts Center seasons.

6. April Luncheon Update

Joyce will connect with Jim Goodnight to confirm that our April speaker is set.

7. Future Luncheon Speaker Update

Joyce is still working to confirm a sponsor for chocolate in November. It was suggested that if the June presenter with Jeremy Bloom's organization didn't work out we could ask the Lone Tree Police Department to give a presentation instead.

Other topics discussed were transportation from a Public Works perspective and a representative from the DougCo Housing Partnership.

Other Items Discussed:

- Ada suggested the Committee consider coordinating a Senior Fair.