

MAYNARD COUNCIL ON AGING BOARD MEETING
Minutes
November 16, 2021

In attendance:

Anita Dolan, Angie Flannery, David Hull, Diane Wasiuk, Amy Loveless, Mary Beth Coyne (Minuteman Senior Services liaison to Maynard).

Absent: Paul Guthrie

Guests: Peg Brown

Meeting called to order at 1:05 p.m.

Minutes from October 19, 2021 were approved.

Public Comments: none.

Minuteman Senior Services Report:

- There continues to be a shortage of homecare workers.
- There are openings for an ombudsman in Harvard, Boxboro, and Woburn.

COA Director's Report:

- Amy met with the Capital Planning Committee at the COA to discuss current issues with the senior center, including accessibility, parking roof issues and other concerns.
- Grab-n-Go drive through luncheons are scheduled for November and December and received a positive response. Delivery is provided to those who are unable to drive to the Maynard Elks parking lot.
- Fitness classes will remain on Zoom through the winter.
- Policies for masking, social distancing and small groups remain in effect at the COA.
- The COA's Book Club has been launched.
- Amy attended Minuteman Senior Services' Annual Meeting.
- Amy reported a transportation survey would be posted on the Town's website to determine needs of those who do not drive or have difficulty finding transportation to particular geographic areas, etc.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

The Board decided to cancel December's meeting since it occurs during the holiday week and would reschedule if there were unexpected issues to address before January's meeting.

Adjourned: 2:10 p.m.

Next meeting: January 19, 2022.