TOWN OF EAST HAMPTON

COMMISSION ON AGING

REGULAR MEETING

THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 2017

SENIOR CENTER

Minutes

Present: Chairperson Ann McLaughlin, Vice Chairman Bob Atherton, Pat Dufour, Sue Greeno, Deborah McDonald and Mary Jo Shafer

Not Present: Allison Leue

Call to Order

Chairperson McLaughlin called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. in the Senior Center.

Approval of Minutes

A motion was made by Ms. McDonald, seconded by Mr. Atherton, to approve the minutes of the November 10, 2016 and December 8, 2016 meetings. Voted (6-0)

Public Comment

None

Correspondence

None

Senior Services Report

Jo Ann Ewing provided an update on Senior Activities. She noted that participant numbers are increasing. She is awaiting a response through the Town Manager regarding the meal program with CRT. The medical transport program is starting slow but should pick up as the months go along.

Old Business

Everbridge System

Ms. McLaughlin reported that the Everbridge contract has been signed. The Emergency Management Director is working with the Registrar to get a download of the voter list. The next steps will be to write a letter to go with the registration form and flyer.

Transportation Information for Doctor’s Offices

There has been no response back from the Round Table towns regarding the transportation for doctor’s offices. The information will be sent back out with the Save the Date notice regarding the next Round Table meeting. The next round table meeting is set for Wednesday, March 29th at 2pm in Hebron.

Planning & Zoning Liaison

Mr. Atherton met with Planning & Zoning Official Jeremy DeCarli. Mr. DeCarli indicated they would be happy to have a liaison from the Commission on Aging.

Survey

The Commission will present the survey to the Town Council at the January 24th meeting. Minor revisions were discussed on the survey document.

New Business

Budget

Mr. Atherton will do the budget presentation in March.

250th Anniversary

There were discussions of a possible open house or health fair for the 250th Anniversary. The members should send other ideas they have to JoAnn Ewing.

Other

Ms. Greeno noted that Choice counselor training will be held on Wednesdays in March in Columbia. Those interested should contact Senior Resources Area Agency on Aging at 860-887-3561.

Mr. Atherton discussed a webinar that he attended Dangerous by Design regarding pedestrian fatalities.

Public Comment

None

Adjournment

A motion was made by Ms. Greeno, seconded by Mr. Atherton, to adjourn the meeting at 5:10 p.m. Voted (6-0)

Respectfully submitted,

Cathy Sirois

Recording Clerk