

## Senior Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes, November 12, 2012

There are no Oct. minutes.

Meeting commenced at 9:00 AM.

All agreed that we would not meet in the month of December.

The Lee Community Center Foundation wishes to meet with us in the near future.

We will advertise the Flu Shot Clinic at the Safety Complex and the Recycling Center. Ads will also appear in the E-Town Crier. The shots are sponsored by LGC.

Some Lee Library/SAC programs are well attended: knitting with Donna Kay, senior educational programs.

Code Red was discussed: an emergency message program. Cell phones could be purchased for needy seniors who might need to call for assistance of any kind. It might be a good use for our treasury funds. Safe Link is a low income cell phone service: \$60.00 per month. Wal-Mart carries these phones. We should check to see what else is available. Frank will check with the Emergency Management Group to see if they need a donation of cell phones. We need to come up with a list, self-declared, and have them fill out the form that is available on the web-site and elsewhere. Confidentiality is an issue. We could have a representative "well-being" person at the voting on Tues. to hand out information.

Frank will request that a sum of \$4,000.00 be allotted to Code Red in the EOC budget.

Julie Glover suggests that we request \$1,500.00 for our Committee to use to support Lee seniors. It would be put in the town budget. We need to go before the Budget Committee and present ideas before this will be done. Our own dollars would be kept in a separate checking account.

Shirley and Jacquie will be responsible for getting information about the best checking account for our funds.

Income tax help for seniors: Sharon will check to see if it could be a Library Service Link.

The Thursday Social Hour and Exercise Program have not been popular programs. Sharon has made some suggestions that she might try to see if advertising more frequently at the library could promote more interest in these programs.

Contact Walgreens with a reminder about their Medicare Made Easy talk to be presented by their pharmacist Shiyi Chen on Nov. 13.

Ice cream left over from Little River Park Festival will be donated to Breakfast with Santa.

Meeting adjourned at 10:00 AM.

Shirley Walker