

Seekonk Human Services Meeting Minutes
Monday, May 23, 2016 @ 3:30pm
Board of Selectmen Meeting Room

Attendance: Guy Boulay, Christine Allen, Rene Andrews, Anne Libby, Anita Gendron, Beverly Della Grotta, and Bernadette Huck (Director)

1. Open Meeting at 3:27pm on May 23, 2016
2. Approval of Minutes from April 25, 2016
 - a. **DISCUSSION:** Chris noted under the Directors Report under letter e, the word like should be inserted after would.
 - b. **MOTION:** Anne made a motion to approve the minutes from April 25, 2016 as amended
 - c. **SECOND:** Guy second the motion
 - d. **VOTE:** Unanimous
3. Old Business
 - a. Moving Plans
 - i. No set moving date yet, highway department will be doing the moving
 - ii. There is no occupancy permit currently
 - iii. The floors have been completed
 - b. Silver Tea Update
 - i. There are 100 seniors signed up
 - ii. Transportation is eligible, when seniors are signed up they are being asked if they need transportation
 - iii. A pianist will be providing the entertainment
 - iv. Young's will be catering
4. New Business
 - a. Grand Opening of New Center
 - i. To be announced
 - b. Summer Plans
 - i. Thursday, July 14 a trip to Maine has 10 seats left
 - ii. Thursday, August 25 is Theatre by the Sea
 - iii. TRIAD Birthday Party is June 22nd
 - iv. Movies will be offered to seniors/grandchildren once a week now that we have a movie permit
 - c. BINGO License
 - i. Bernie went before the Board of Selectman for the license approval
 - ii. The license has been filled out and sent to the lottery commission
5. Directors Report
 - a. Looking for volunteers to run programs at the new center such as teach and run bridge
 - b. Oil paints, water colors, charcoal drawing and adult coloring is the type of art classes to be done at the senior center
 - c. There is a lack of interest in computer classes but there is a greater need to teach seniors how to use tablets
 - d. YMCA Partnership – exercise classes will be offered at our center by the YMCA

- e. Game day such as Scrabble, Yahtzee, Monopoly, etc.
 - f. Monthly hearing clinics and looking for a podiatrist to come in for the seniors
 - g. Gift shop to sell cards, scarfs, etc.
 - h. Transportation with GATRA to expand
6. Other Business
 7. Members Speak
 8. Public Speaks
 9. Next Meeting
 - a. Monday, June 13 @ 3:30pm
 - b. Monday, June 27 @ 3:30pm
 10. Adjourn
 - a. **MOTION:** Guy made a motion to adjourn
 - b. **SECOND:** Chris second the motion
 - c. **VOTE:** Unanimous