## Seekonk Human Services Meeting Minutes Monday, March 27, 2017 @ 3:30pm Seekonk Human Services Conference Room 108 540 Arcade Avenue, Seekonk, MA 02771

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

- 1. Open Meeting at 3:34pm
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance
- 3. Minutes: Monday, February 27, 2017
  - a. **MOTION:** Guy made a motion to approve the minutes
  - b. **SECOND:** Anne second the motion
  - c. **VOTE:** Unanimous
- 4. Old Business
  - a. Board Training
    - i. Friday, April 28, 2017 at the Senior Center
    - ii. 9:15am 11:15am
  - b. Friends of Friends Sign for Building
    - i. Dave Cabral from DPW went over the type of sign it would be, It would be like the one at the Seekonk High School
    - ii. The cost of the sign is approximately \$16,000
  - c. Friends of Friends Yard Sale
    - i. Saturday, June 24, 2017 from 9am to 3pm, the rain date will be Sunday, June 25, 2017
    - ii. Knights of Columbus approved the use of the parking lot for the yard sale
    - iii. Boy Scouts Troop 1 will be selling food during the yard sale
    - iv. There will be 2 handicap parking spaces available in the Human Services parking lot
    - v. All items must be taken at the end of the yard sale
    - vi. Friends of Friends is going to be doing a fundraiser for a 24" Sanyo TV
- 5. New Business
  - a. Conflict of Interest
    - i. All board members have signed the policy and have been given to Ashley
- 6. Directors Report
  - a. Silver Tea will be Wednesday, May 31 at noon time at the Senior Center
  - b. Hired 2 people: Carol Poncin as the Community Liaison from the Town Budget and Maggy Perkins as a Coordinator to help with the kitchen and activities. Both will become ServSafe
  - Southcoast Wellness Van will be doing free health screenings on Wednesday, April 19, Wednesday, June 12, Wednesday, September 20, Tuesday, October 24 and Tuesday, December 12 from 9am to 12pm
  - d. The Easter Party is April 12<sup>th</sup>
  - e. Benefits of Eating Chocolate with a free luncheon is on April 5<sup>th</sup>
  - f. Aging in Place is on April 19<sup>th</sup>

- g. Monthly Breakfast is the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of the month, which is April 25<sup>th</sup> from 9:30am -11:00am
- h. Tech Time is the  $2^{nd}$  Thursday of the month at 2pm
- i. Step On It is a walking program that is offered by Kindred Health which will be presented on May 17, they will be supplying pedometers to all who attend with sheets to log their steps
- j. Free Dental Screening on Saturday, May 6, 2017 by appointment only
- 7. Other Business
- 8. Members Speak
  - a. Guy asked about the Assistant Director position being filed, Bernie spoke with Shawn regarding looking at the resumes for the position
  - b. Chris asked about Vicki being on the board still, Bernie stated Vicki has resigned but she hasn't received a formal letter yet
  - c. Chris inquired about Rene as well. Bernie said she plans on coming back
  - d. Guy thanks Ashley for helping with taxes this season
- 9. Next Meeting
  - a. Monday, April 24, 2017
- 10. Adjourn
  - a. MOTION: Guy made a motion to adjourn
  - b. **SECOND:** Anne second the motion
  - c. **VOTE:** Unanimous