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Wellfleet COA Board
(Notes from 4/26/06)

Present: Adele Anderson, Dennis Cunningham, Deb Giza, Peg Rasmussen, Sandy Wonders, Suzanne Grout Thomas.

For lack of a quorum, a formal meeting was not held. Instead we had an informational meeting and informal discussion. No official business was conducted.

We first discussed snow plowing issues from the previous nights Town Meeting and how frail elders might be affected. Suzanne explained that individual residences can be pinpointed by GPS.

Suzanne also reported that Paraclete Press is now printing the Orleans COA newsletter and is soliciting Wellfleet's businesses.

Suzanne and Iris are both certified as food handlers and supervisors so Iris' Café can continue even if Iris is not present.

Several new programs have been schedule:

- 1) Elder Law by Brooks Thayer, assigned by the Mass. Bar Association. His talk will include wills, healthcare proxies and changes in Medicaid and Medicare (except drugs). A program on diabetes has also been scheduled, and an acting troupe will appear in July and August. (Shakespeare has been a big success).
- 2) Suzanne reported that Wellfleet needs a representative to the Board of Elder Services of Cape Cod & the Islands. Meetings are in Dennis at noon on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The representative is to be nominated by our COA Board, and Suzanne's recommendation is that one of our Board members does it. Interested persons should contact Suzanne for an application packet.
- 3) We will try to finalize a mission statement at our next meeting, which is planned for **Wednesday, May 31, 2006 at 9AM.**

Sandy Wonders
Secretary

Accepted 5/31/06