WYANDOTTE/LEAVENWORTH AREAAGENCY ON AGING

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November 22, 2023

Dear Advisory Council Member:

The next meeting of the Areawide Advisory Council will be held on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>January 25, 2023</u> at 10:00 a.m. The meeting will be held virtually, and the meeting notification/link will be sent to the email I have on file.

Excused absence requests should be made at least 24 hours prior to the meeting date to assure the excuse is recorded. Please keep in mind that 3 or more unexcused absences may result in termination of your term on the board.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the meeting, please contact Linda Ramirez at 913-573-8531.

Respectfully,

Linda Ramirez

Advisory Council Liaison

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Enclosures

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AREAWIDE ADVISORY COUNCIL WYANDOTTE/LEAVENWORTH AREA AGENCY ON AGING JANUARY 25, 2023

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

CHAIRMAN'S COMMENTS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

COUNCIL CONCERNS

Leavenworth County Wyandotte County

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

Leavenworth County Wyandotte County

OTHER BUSINESS

NEXT MEETING FEBRUARY 22, 2023

ADJOURNMENT

WYANDOTTE/LEAVENWORTH AREA AGENCY ON AGING AREAWIDE ADVISORY COUNCIL November 16, 2022

MEMBERS PRESENT: Anita Krondak, Susan McGinnis and Jamey Rodriguez

EXCUSED: Pam Blood, Camall Leonhard, Mary Mack and Marc

Potter.

ABSENT: Jammie Johnson, Louise Lynch and Charles Williams.

STAFF PRESENT: Ruth Jones and Linda Ramirez.

GUESTS PRESENT: None.

CALL TO ORDER: Susan McGinnis called the meeting to order at 10:08am.

MINUTES: The minutes were approved as written.

CHAIRMAN

COMMENTS: Susan McGinnis had no comments.

COUNCIL CONCERNS: <u>Leavenworth County</u>:

No concerns.

Wyandotte County:

➤ Jamey Rodriguez reported that Mirror, Inc of Wyandotte County will be closing its doors.

DIRECTOR'S REPORT:

Leavenworth:

No Director's report in the absence of Connie Harmon.

Wyandotte:

Linda Ramirez provided the Director's report.

- Linda announced that all III-B and Senior Care Act In home support programs are currently on a wait list for both Wyandotte and Leavenworth counties. Funding is available for Caregivers under the Title III-E funding.
- Linda shared that November is National Caregivers'
 Month. In celebration, the Wyandotte County office is
 providing meals to the caregiver and care recipients daily
 for an entire week.

- Linda announced that Linda Brown, advisory member appointed by Commissioner Bynum has resigned. Ms. Brown is moving out of Wyandotte County and will no longer be able to serve.
- Linda reported that Mrs. Modestine Bell, an 18-year In-House volunteer passed away Sunday, November 6, 2022. Mrs. Bell was currently serving as a Silver Haired Legislator as a Wyandotte delegate.
- Linda also reported that Lynn Randle, Information & Assistance Specialist passed away suddenly on Wednesday, November 9, 2022. Lynn began her tenure with the Unified Government in 1998 as a driver for senior transportation. She transferred to the Aging Department in 2018 and became an Information Specialist.
- Linda reminded the group that the Christmas in November event will be held November 17, 2022 (tomorrow) 2-4pm at the Area Agency on Aging. Four 12-passenger vans will be given to each stand alone congregate meal site for daily transportation.

OTHER BUSINESS:

REMINDER: The December meeting has been cancelled due to the
vote held by email in October. Minutes are being sent as soon as
possible and a reminder will be sent next year by email ahead of the
next meeting.

NEXT MEETING:

The next meeting of the Areawide Advisory Council is currently

scheduled to be held virtually at 10am on Wednesday,

January 25, 2023.

ADJOURN:

Meeting adjourned at approximately 10:35am.

Respectfully submitted:

Linda Ramirez

Recording Secretary