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NEVADA COMMISSION ON AGING (COA) APPROVED MEETING MINUTES

Date and Time of Meeting: Thursday, June 27, 2024

10:00 AM

Location of Meeting: Microsoft Teams meeting

AGENDA

1. Roll Call:

Members Present: Courtney Warner, Dena Schmidt, Natalie Mazzullo, Molly Walt, Anna Ladao, Deanna O'Rear Cameron, Dorothy Edwards, Stacy York, Wendy Simons, Assemblyman Duy Nguyen.

ADSD Staff: Jeff Duncan, Cheyenne Pasquale, Wendy Thornley

Guests: Lori Lutu, Shauna Brennan, Larry Weiss, Mary Squillante, Elyse Monroy-Marsala,

2. **Public Comment:**

No Public Comment.

3. **For Possible Action:** Approval of Minutes of the May 5, 2024, meeting

Tabled till next normal meeting.

4. **For Possible Action:** Review, Discuss and Vote on the NRS439 Report for 2024, detailing community needs and priorities for older adults in the state, as mandated by NRS 439.630(6). The report aims to guide policy-making, resource allocation, and program development to enhance the quality of life for older individuals.

Wendy Simons motioned to accept the report with all edits from this meeting.

Natalie Mazzullo seconded, and the members voted to approve.

5. **Public Comment:**

Assemblyman Nguyen: Appreciates the time and effort and looks forward to learning more and to be supportive of the Commission.

Elyse Monroy: Part of the food pantry in Sparks, half the people are older adults. Thanked ADSD for the increased support of the senior food pantry. They are light staffed. Aging staff have been easy to work with and reimbursements come quickly. They will be moving to a more staffed model and would like to work with ADSD. Their program is a great way to promote communication in the community.

Jeff Duncan: Appreciates the shoutout for the staff. The food pantry did a fantastic job with the emergency funding to provide services during Covid.

6. **For Possible Action:** Adjournment: 10:56 am

Accommodation Requests and Meeting Materials:

NOTE:

 Supporting documents referenced above in the "for possible action" items may be requested from Lorraine Belt-Dolan, Commission Administrative Support, ADSD at <u>Lorrainebelt@adsd.nv.gov</u> and is/will be available at the meeting locations and ADSD website at <u>COA (nv.gov)</u>

AGENDA POSTED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS:

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