

Senior Center Needs Assessment Committee
June 28, 2012

PRESENT: Maureen Dilg, Cara Groman, Jack Walsh

Meeting was called to order to 2:30 p.m.

Acceptance of Minutes

A motion was made and seconded to accept the May 10, 2012 minutes. The motion passed unanimously.

June Senior Needs Luncheon

- Attendee Questions from Senior Needs Luncheon – All the comments and questions received from attendees at the June Senior Needs Luncheon were reviewed. It was decided to focus on the following four items:
 - Determine the demographic status based on residents over 60 years of age for the next five years
 - Develop a Senior Center survey
 - Build awareness of the need of a Senior Center
 - Organize seniors into a voting block

September Meeting Update

- The September meeting has temporarily been put on hold.

New Business

- Senior Center Survey – Senior Center/Community Center surveys from other towns were given to each member. These surveys may be reviewed and questions appropriate to Dover’s residents may be highlighted. Possibly, a Dover Senior Center Survey may be developed modeled on these surveys.
- Senior Center “Coffees” – To build awareness of the COA’s desire to build a Senior Center, it is proposed that morning coffees will be held in the homes of seniors in all Dover neighborhoods beginning this fall. All the neighbors will be invited to attend.
- List of Residents Age 60+ -- A listing of all residents age 60+ was obtained from the Town Clerk. All of these residents will be called and asked if they would be willing to give us their email address. In this way, they will be better informed regarding “Senior Needs.”

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, August 9, 2012 at 2:30 p.m. in the lower conference room.

A motion to adjourn was made by Jack Walsh at 4:00 p.m. and seconded by Maureen Dilg. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Maureen Dilg