

FREETOWN COUNCIL ON AGING

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May 10, 2022

Call to Order: 2:05pm

Roll Call: Bruce Wilbur, Robin Kendrick, Evelyn Alves, Ruth Ferland, Sonny Barros and Barbara Place. Absent Victoria Brownell and Marion Rylands.

Secretaries report: April 5, 2022 Bruce made the motion to accept, seconded by Evelyn, all in favor motion passed.

Treasurer Report: We are waiting for SouthCoast Grant from Senator Rodriques Office. Old Business:

Part time clerk wants to work a few more hours, at times it can be overwhelming. The COA Board voted, Bruce made the motion, Sonny seconded, all in favor motion passed to grant this and will send a letter to the Selectmen Office.

Food Bank: Robin Kendrick asked Craig Cabral about Seniors coming in different times. Robin read an application for the food pantry. It will be given to Interim Town Administrator on the legality of this. Board questions this application.

Old Kitchen stove-Bruce Wilbur has been handling this. All is submitted and a 6 burner with 2 ovens and a 24-inch griddle will be purchased. Evelyn made the motion to purchase, seconded by Sonny, all in favor motion passed.

Old floor downstairs: We have had issues with the floor downstairs. Something is seeping through the tiles. The Building Commissioner will get an estimate on another floor. Stove has to be taken out first.

COA/Building Addition-Norman Landerville brought a couple drawings of an addition that has been done. There was discussion on the building, he had different drawings and explained in detail about the combination which would go to an architect.

New Business:

Re-organization of the Board

Robin Kendrick was nominated as Chairman of the Board, Bruce Wilbur made the motion seconded by Ruth Ferland, all in favor motion passed.

Nominated for Vice Chair was Evelyn Alves, Ruth made the motion seconded by Sonny all in favor motion passed.

Bruce Wilbur will stat as Treasurer of the Board, Evelyn made the motion, seconded by Robin, all in favor motion passed.

Robin read a letter from a concerned senior citizen in town. Bruce suggested we use the waiver and release of liability form We will wait to see what the Town Lawyers suggest.

Motion made to adjourn, all in favor meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Barbara Place Director