

**VILLAGE OF RIVER FOREST
AGE-FRIENDLY AD HOC COMMITTEE
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2022**

A regular meeting of the Village of River Age Friendly Ad Hoc Committee was held on Wednesday, March 9, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Community Room of Village Hall, 400 Park Avenue – River Forest, IL.

1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 p.m. Upon roll call, the following persons were:

Present: Chairperson Respicio Vazquez, Daniel Lauber, Deborah Frederick, Lydia Manning, James Flanagan, Helen Kwan, and Barbara Mirel.

Absent: None

Also Present: Management Analyst/Deputy Clerk Elijah Bebora

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

Betsy Kelly, Senior Outreach Coordinator for River Forest Township stated that the Township, Arbor West Neighbors and Concordia University are hosting a housing forum. She remarked that the forum is going to focus on missing middle housing and improving the accessibility of a home for aging residents. She commented that accessory dwelling units and home sharing programs will also be discussed. She remarked that a healthy aging fair will be hosted by Grace Lutheran. She commented that there will be fall risk assessments provided by physical therapists, blood pressure measurements, and medication inspections.

3. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

Committee Member Frederick made a motion, seconded by Committee Member Flanagan, to approve the February 9, 2022 meeting minutes.

Roll call:

Ayes: Chairperson Vazquez, Daniel Lauber, Deborah Frederick, Lydia Manning, James Flanagan, Barbara Mirel, Helen Kwan

Absent: None

Nays: None

Motion Passes.

4. COMMITTEE MEMBER UPDATES: DEMENTIA FRIENDLY RIVER FOREST (DFRF) AND AGE FRIENDLY COMMUNITIES COLLABORATIVE (AFCC)

Committee Member Manning stated she continues to plan for upcoming Seniors Week to get businesses and organizations to undergo dementia friendly training.

Chairperson Vazquez stated that he and President Adduci had a meeting with the AARP. He commented that AARP will make their data portal available to the Village and other communities.

5. OLD BUSINESS

a. Survey Tallying Progress

Management Analyst/Deputy Clerk informed the Committee that all the age friendly surveys have been entered into Survey Monkey.

b. Request for Proposal Scope of Service

The Committee Members stated that based on the data from the survey's, the Committee can perform the data analysis without the need of a consultant.

Chairperson Vazquez requested that Staff look into upgrading the membership level on Survey Monkey to access the cross tabulation function.

Elijah Bebora stated that he will speak to the Village Administrator about upgrading the Village Survey Monkey subscription.

6. NEW BUSINESS

a. None

7. NEXT MEETING: APRIL 13, 2022

8. ADJOURNMENT

Committee Member Frederick made a motion, seconded by Committee Member Lauber to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 PM.

Roll call:

Ayes: Chairperson Vazquez, Deborah Frederick, Lydia Manning, James Flanagan, Daniel Lauber, Helen Kwan and Barbara Mirel

Absent:

Nays: None

Motion Passes.

Elijah Bebora, Secretary