

**The Council on Aging**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**June 17, 2021**

**Present** – Cheryl Moreci, chair, Carole Mullen, director, Dan Malloy, secretary, Dave Guglielmi, Karen Kuligowski, Julia Manning, Arlene Williams.

**Minutes** – Approved, with the addition of Julia’s name as having been present.

**Budget** – The FY-22 budget will have a 1.8% increase in salaries in the department. When it becomes necessary to replace our van driver, it will be very difficult because of the low salary we can offer. Services/trips for the small number of people in need of transportation for groceries and other errands was discussed.

**Tax credit program** – Due to the covid situation, there has been reluctance in some departments to resume the tax credit program. The director has been working on this. At the present time, there are eight people who will be resuming the program.

**Barbecue** – We now have 58 people signed for the barbecue, which will be held on June 29.

**Activities** - Tai chi, meditation, knitting, the monthly lunch, mahjong, and bridge will all be back by September.

**Fiftieth anniversary celebration** – There was discussion of when to hold the event, and if September would be too soon. It was decided to have a sub-committee of CoA members and Nancy Mosher to make plans.

**Resignation** – Nancilee Fuller has resigned from the board.

**Selectboard meeting** – The director will attend a future meeting of the select board, and discuss the importance of the Community House, which essentially provides a major part of the department’s budget. She’ll also talk about the department’s work during the covid situation.

**Next meeting** – The next meeting of the board will be held in August.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel Malloy, Secretary