

Germantown Senior Citizen Advisory Commission
Thursday, May 19, 2011
Administrative Conference Room

The Germantown Senior Citizen Advisory Commission met on Thursday, May 19, 2011, at 9:00 A.M., in the Administrative Conference Room at the Municipal Center. Chairman John Hicks called the meeting to order and a quorum was established.

PRESENT: Chairman John Hicks, Charles Clark, Alice Colville, James Debo, Nick Dunn, Dino Palazzolo, Manilal Shah, Sylvia Waters and Alderman John Drinnon.

ABSENT: Wynn Bellerjeau, Stovall Kendrick, Bill Stevens and Alice Wallace.

STAFF PRESENT: Community Services Division Director George Brogdon and Recreation Superintendent Natalie Ruffin.

Dr. Hicks welcomed everyone and stated the purpose of this meeting was to hear reports from the five areas of the Germantown Senior Summit studies.

SENIOR SUMMIT STUDIES

- 1) Medical Care and Caregiving - Presentation by Sandra Oaks
- 2) Social and Entertainment Activities – Presentation by Alice Colville of the Senior Citizen Advisory Commission
- 3) Senior Center - Presentation by Mike Harless, Committee Chairman
- 4) Learning and Personal Growth – Presentation by Dino Palazzolo
- 5) Support Services - Presentation by Mr. Rodney Strop

After presentations, Dr. Hicks thanked everyone for all their tireless work over the last 22 months in making the Senior Summit a reality and said he looked forward to working with everyone in the future as the items are implemented.

CONSIDERATION OF MARCH 17, 2011 MINUTES

Motion was made by Dino Palazzolo, seconded by Nick Dunn, to approve the March 17, 2011 minutes as distributed. Motion passed.

SENIOR EXPO

Natalie Ruffin handed out the application form as amended by the Germantown Senior Citizens Advisory Commission.

A motion was made by Manilal Shah, seconded by Nick Dunn, to approve the application as distributed. Motion passed.

At the Commission's request, Mr. Brogdon went over an outline of what the Senior Citizens Advisory Commission's responsibilities would be between the June meeting and November Senior Expo.

AMBULANCE SERVICE

At the request of Alderman Drinnon, Mr. Brogdon explained the proposed City-operated ambulance service and entertained questions from the Commission.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at approximately 11:30 a.m.