

**VILLAGE OF HARRISON HOT SPRINGS
AGE-FRIENDLY COMMITTEE MEETING**

DATE: Thursday, February 23, 2017
TIME: 2:00 p.m.
PLACE: Council Chambers
495 Hot Springs Road
Harrison Hot Springs, BC

IN ATTENDANCE: Councillor John Hansen, Chair
Marg Doman
Raymond Hooper
Allan Jackson
Elisabeth Scotson

Alanna Carmichael, Community Services Manager

ABSENT:

Recording Secretary: Jaclyn Bhatti

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order at 2:05 p.m.

2. INTRODUCTION OF LATE ITEMS

- Snow clearing
- Mission Statement
- Budget

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Allan Jackson
Seconded by Raymond Hooper

THAT the agenda be approved as amended.

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4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by Raymond Hooper
Seconded by Elisabeth Scotson

THAT the minutes of the Age-friendly Committee Meeting held on January 26, 2017 be adopted as amended.

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Errors & Omissions

On page 2, under (d), add Financial Planning to the list of suggested topics for the speakers series.

On page 3, under (f) it should read "The Community Services Manager advised that the 50th Anniversary Time Capsule is not to be opened until 2049."

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5.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

(a) Speaker Series

The Community Services Manager met with the Agassiz Harrison Community Services Executive Director, Bobbi Jacob. She advised that Ms. Jacob is available to come in and speak with the Committee about services they offer and discuss Community Services at the Speaker Series. Agassiz Harrison Community Services may be hosting speaker workshops in the future as well and could pair up nicely with the speaker series that the Age-friendly Committee is working on.

Discussion ensued on:

- Having back to back speakers at the same session
- Location
- Speaking to hotels to donate a meeting room for the talks
- Time of event
- Speaker on transgender issues, bullying issues, drugs, the prison system
- Speaker on history; this may be covered on July 1st

(b) Seniors Guide – Harrison Brochure

- It was discussed that the focus should be on the speaker series at this time.

Moved by Marg Doman

Seconded by Elisabeth Scotson

THAT a time capsule for Canada Day be referred to next Canada Day meeting.

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(c) Implementation & Protocol Strategy

Received and filed.

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- (d) Proposed Schedule for Age-friendly Committee Meetings to be held at 2:00 p.m.

April 6, 2017
June 1, 2017
August 3, 2017
October 5, 2017
December 7, 2017

Next meeting on March 16, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.

- (e) Snow Clearing

- Concerns from citizens regarding safety on crossing the bridge.
- Possibility of having a list available of people willing to help shovel driveways for those who can't.
- Liability issues

- (f) Mission Statement

A draft mission statement will be circulated for the Committee to review.

- (g) Budget

The Chair updated the Committee that the request for \$5,000 for the Age-friendly Committee has been added to the draft budget and explained that if the budget is passed with this item in it all expenditures would still need to be approved.

The Community Services Manager advised the Committee to review the Village's Purchasing and Procurement Policy.

There was a suggestion for the Committee to participate in the Canada Day parade.


6.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Allan Jackson

Seconded by Raymond Hooper

THAT the meeting be adjourned at 3:27 p.m.



John Hansen
Chair



Debra Key
Corporate Officer

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