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The Vernon Senior Center Advisory Committee Meeting was called to order by Chairperson Carole Slattery at 9:35 am. Members present were David Alter, Marie Harris, Jean Inge, Ray Larkin, Carol Nelson, Gerry Probulis, Carole Slattery, Ed Zinky, Liaison Bill Campbell, Advocate Ed Slattery and Director Paula Claydon.

Minutes of the November 16 meeting were approved. Motion made by Ed Zinky, seconded by Ray Larkin. No correspondence.

Ed Zinky made a motion to approve the Treasurer's report as presented, seconded by Dave Alter, motion passed.

Dave Alter was nominated to fill the position of Assistant Treasurer by Gerry Probulis, seconded by Ed Zinky. The motion to fill the position was passed unanimously.

Committee report: Ed Slattery explained the signs were still a work in progress. Public Works planned on working on them this winter. The snow is putting them behind. The approval to work on the small stage upstairs has been received by Paula and Bob Kleinhans Director of Public Works. Ed Zinky, Dave Alter and Ed Slattery will work on this project.

The Director commented on the increased utilization of the Senior Center and changes to the operating procedures.

The Chair reminded those present there would be three vacancies in June due to term limits. A thank you from the Kenya project for the handicap donations.

Under old business Ray informed us there was no longer a need for a new refrigerator.

New Business: Jean Inge called to our attention that she and others have experienced a problem with the public transportation system. Bus does not operate on the posted schedule and has a practice of ignoring passengers waiting at or near the posted bus stop. The other information she shared was Yankee Gas customers were offered a Yankee Gas gift card but instead received a Yankee Gas debit card with a monthly fee of \$2.95 when card is activated.

Motion to adjourn made by Carol Nelson, seconded by Dave Alter. Adjourned at 10:45 am. Next meeting will be Tuesday, March 15, 2011 at 9:30 am.


Carole A. Slattery
Chairman