

**APPROVED  
TOWN OF CANTON  
COMMISSION ON AGING  
August 1, 2016**

**PRESENT: Mary Ann Christensen, Priscilla Cifone, Ken Daniels, Mary Lou Erardi, Lori Kluessendorf, Dottie Murray, Maureen Wallison**

**ATTENDEES: Nicole Carrasquillo, Claire Cote**

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: None**

**MINUTES**

Minutes for the July 11, 2016, meeting were approved as presented

**NEW BUSINESS:**

- Welcome new regular member, Priscilla Cifone
- Canton Senior & Social Services/Canton Senior Center Strategic Plan is in progress

**OLD BUSINESS**

- Canton Senior Center Logo is in progress. Claire met with graphic designer – intern will be working on this project
- Canton Senior & Social Services/Commission on Aging Annual Report 2015-2016 is due the end of August. Claire had distributed the prior annual report for commission member review to assess for suggestions/additions/increases
- Claire advised of request to town for SENIOR CENTER lettering on the CCC building – this would be at the rear entrance
- Dial-a-Ride going smoothly – there is an increase in riders/at times 2 trips are necessary
- CRT sent notice of overspending – currently limiting signups to 35 for August and 30 for September

**COORDINATOR'S REPORT**

Nicole advised of programming & events including:

- Annual Rotary Club Senior Picnic was held on July 21st - 135 people had signed up for the event (Canton and Avon combined)
- LGBT Moveable Senior Center event held on July 25th – next event scheduled for October in Bloomfield.
- Monday Matinee Movies program started in July and will be every Monday in August. The program is in conjunction with the library
- Kayak Adventure & Lunch scheduled for August 3rd in conjunction with Plainville Senior Center
- Hoover Dam – Past and Present program by Kurt Glaser from Home Helpers scheduled for August 10<sup>th</sup>
- Scholarly Hour – the 6 week lecture series scheduled for August 8th thru September 19th– a 1 hour video lecture followed by 30 minute discussion. Sign up currently limited to 15 people
- Sinatra: Voice for a Century scheduled for August 16<sup>th</sup> – in conjunction with the library
- Adult Coloring After Noon- new program beginning August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Scheduled every 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month
- Future programs scheduled for:
  - September 1<sup>st</sup> – A Matter of Balance workshop – sign up limited to 14
  - September 2<sup>nd</sup> – Senior Center Month kick-off party at noon – CRT lunch canceled that date – sign up required & \$5 donation

The next regular meeting is scheduled for September 12, 2016 @ 12 noon

The meeting started at 12:04 pm and concluded at 12:48 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Dottie Murray, Secretary