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City of Barrie

Minutes - Final

Seniors Advisory Committee

Monday, September 12, 2016 | **10:00 AM** | **Huronia Room "A"**

For consideration by the Community Services Committee of the City of Barrie on December 7, 2016

The Seniors Advisory Committee met at 10:05 p.m. in the Huronia "A" Room and the following were in attendance:

PRESENT:
Councillor B. Ainsworth
R. Cotton, Chair
M. Stevenson, Vice-Chair
G. Sels
H. Stone
L. Ricardo
M. Malcolm
R. Cheeseman
R. McEachern.

STAFF:
Accessibility Co-ordinator, C. Dillon
Committee Support Clerk, T. McArthur
Recreation Programmer, J. Gourlie.

The Seniors Advisory Committee met and reports as follows:

AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITY GRANT PROJECT UPDATE

C. Dillon, Accessibility Co-ordinator provided an update regarding the Age-Friendly Community Grant Project.

Ms. Dillon advised that an implementation plan has been drafted and will be finalized in the near future. She also noted that the project is on budget and on schedule.

ANNUAL REPORT OF SENIORS ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO CITY COUNCIL - DRAFT PRESENTATION

R. Cotton, provided a draft presentation to the Committee concerning the annual report of the Seniors Advisory Committee's activities for 2015 - 2016 to be presented to Members of Council at a future meeting. The Committee members provided possible suggestions and information to be included within the presentation.

SENIORS EVENT CALENDAR UPDATES

The Committee met and discussed the following senior events:

L. Ricard noted that the CNIB "Night Steps" event will be taking place on Thursday September 15, 2016 from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. located at the Southshore Community Centre.

G. Sels advised the following events to be taking place:

- The Strawberry Social to be held on Wednesday September 13, 2016 at 5:00 p.m., located at the Parkview Community Centre;
- The Annual Fall Makers Market to be held on Saturday September 24, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. located at the Parkview Community Centre;
- The Allandale Annual Open House to be held on Wednesday September 28, 2016 from 9:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. located at the Allandale Recreation Centre;
- The Quest for Zest event to be held on Saturday October 1, 2016 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. located at the Allandale Recreation Centre; and

- The Fabulous 50's Dance to be held on Wednesday October 19, 2016 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. located at the Southshore Centre.

R. McEachern advised that the Fall Edition of the CARP 2016 Newsletter is now available at www.barriecarp.org. The newsletter has a variety of information for seniors and includes future events and seminars.

The meeting adjourned at 12:00 p.m.

Chairman