

**Rose City Senior Center**  
**Senior Affairs Commission**  
**Meeting of May 15, 2023**

Present Members: Frank Jacaruso, Joanne Philbrick, Rebecca Melucci, Lauriann Messoro

Present staff: Kate Milde and Mike Wolak

**Absent**

Frank Jacaruso called meeting to order, as there was a quorum.

**Approval of the minutes** –Minutes from April 17, 2023 meeting were approved

**Communications...**

- We received \$300 donation from the Women's City Club of Norwich for the use of our space for their meetings.
- We received a nice thank you note from one of our members that has received adult briefs from us on a monthly basis.

**Human Services Director report....**

- Pickle ball courts
  - Looking at permitting/rental agreements
  - Also looking at Sr. Center space rental agreements to see if fees are still appropriate-generate revenue
- Office coordinator position remains in budget so far. It has been empty for 6+ years
- Looking at outdoor space for the Sr. Center from the ARPA direct funding to Sr.Centers funds. I hope that this project happens next summer.
  - @\$100k to be available

**Director of the Senior Center report:**

- Pickle ball courts currently under construction and going well to date.
- So far so good with OC position in the budget
- 102 new members since Jan 1
- 560 people assisted with Tax filing

**Chairperson report.... NONE**

**Old Business...** None

**New Business...** Joann would like more communication about programs and services such as a community calendar or some other way to make sure the information is reaching seniors.

NPU bills mentioned as a source of advertising.

**Other Business...**None

**NEXT Meeting: \*\*\*September 18, 2023 at 9:00am**