

HANOVER TOWNSHIP SENIOR COMMITTEE

MINUTES of the Regular MEETING

May 12, 2025

The meeting was called to order by Chair Naomi Lenoci at 1:000 p.m.

Roll Call: Naomi Walters Lenoci, Peggy Bucaro, Lynn Nelles, Clint Baker, and Larry Bretz. Not present: Thomas Lathara, Peggy Deyne, and Trustee Essick. Also present, Kristin Vana, Devora Murrillo, Florie Sposito, and Safiya Syed.

Pledge of Allegiance: Ms. Lenoci led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comment: None

Reports:

Chairperson's Report: Ms. Lenoci shared May 14, 2025 is the next Café Cruisin fundraiser at Brianna's Pancake House and encouraged all committee members to attend. Ms. Lenoci also shared feedback from residents requesting the buses park further down on the back road to allow better visibility for drivers in the parking lot. Ms. Lenoci also asked staff to begin researching vending machine costs, stating the current vending machines are having issues with dispensing items. Lastly, Ms. Lenoci and the committee complimented the improvements in landscaping to Runzel Reserve.

Treasurer's Report: A motion to approve the Treasurer's Report as presented was made by Mr. Baker, seconded by Mr. Bretz. The ending fund balance is \$99,552. Discussion ensued. It was noted the Gift Shoppe brought in over \$22,000 this fiscal year, gift card purchases were low, and restaurant fundraisers can be challenging. Ms. Lenoci called for a roll call vote. Motion passed.

Ms. Lenoci - Yes Mr. Baker - Yes Ms. Bucaro - Yes Ms. Nelles - Yes Mr. Bretz - Yes

Trustee Liaison Report: None, Trustee Essick was absent.

Director's Report: Interim Director Vana shared that the new Director of Aging Services, Allison Stamp's first day will be May 20, 2025. It was also shared that the department is reviewing the Senior Center calendar of events and looking to add additional on-site programs and drop-in groups to increase opportunities for socialization at the Senior Center. It was also noted that this would be the last meeting for Interim Director Vana as the Allison Stamp will attend meetings beginning next month.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

Approval of the Regular Meeting Minutes of April 14, 2025: Ms. Bucaro moved to approve the regular meeting minutes of April 14, 2025, and Mr. Bretz seconded the motion. The Board approved the minutes.

Approval of Purchase of Laptops for Technology Lab: Mr. Bretz moved to approve the purchase of seven laptops for the Technology Lab in the amount of \$7,706.02. Ms. Bucaro seconded the motion. Discussion ensued noting the Committee had previously budgeted for the replacement of seven laptops in FY26. Ms. Lenoci requested a roll call and the motion passed.

Ms. Lenoci - Yes Mr. Baker - Yes Ms. Bucaro - Yes Ms. Nelles - Yes Mr. Bretz - Yes

Recognition of Outstanding Staff: Ms. Lenoci shared that Ryan Ludlum would receive recognition from the Senior Committee as an outstanding staff member due to his commitment to consistently ensuring setups and Senior Center building needs are always taken care of. Mr. Ludlum was not present, however Ms. Lenoci shared she would present him with his certificate later in the week. It was also discussed that the Committee would like to recognize Veronica “Vern” Urban at the next meeting. Vern’s nomination noted how often Vern receives accolades from both residents and staff regarding how respectful, kind and knowledgeable she is.

Discussion of Upcoming Café Cruisin’ Fundraisers: Ms. Lenoci shared there are two restaurants under consideration for June’s Café Cruisin’ fundraiser, however a location had not yet been determined. Ms. Lenoci also shared the potential opportunity to host a fundraiser at 120 Live following their renovation, Bacon Barbeque, and LePetit.

Gift Shoppe and Bingo Raffle Update: Program and Volunteer Coordinator Murrillo shared the Gift Shoppe continues to do very well. The first week of May the Gift Shoppe had \$280 in sales. The June sale will include Father’s Day items, artwork, and frames.

Other Business: Ms. Bucaro suggested adding descriptions for out trips that include a moderate amount of walking for those that may have some challenges getting around long distances or many steps.

Adjournment: There being no other business, Ms. Bucaro made a motion to adjourn. Mr. Baker seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 2:18 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kristin Vana
Interim Director of Aging Services