

**MINUTES OF THE NEENAH COMMITTEE ON AGING**

**Thursday, January 16, 2020**

**9:00 a.m.**

**Hauser Room, City Administration Building**

**Present:** Chair Pat Lowney and committee member Susan Antonneau. **Excused:** Joshua Kutney and Kevin Myska. **Also Present:** City of Neenah Mayor Dean Kaufert, Winnebago County ADRC Program Supervisor Bryn Ceman, Lori Duclon, Winnebago County Health Department, City of Neenah Assistant Planner Carol Kasimor, Y Active Older Adult Director Cheryl Richard, and Herb Allen, Neenah.

A quorum was not present; no action was taken.

**Update on Y Active Older Adult Program:**

Director Cheryl Richard reported that the Y Active Older Adult Program will provide exercise programs after February 1, 2020 at the Menasha Senior Center on weekday mornings while City of Menasha staff will manage the rest of the programs and center administration. There will be ongoing discussions with the parties involved so that services continue to be delivered to older adults in the area.

**Discussion of Aging and Disability Resource Center:**

Bryn Ceman, recently appointed Program Supervisor, discussed her role at the ADRC. She supervises Adult Protective Services, the Benefit Specialist program, and contracts for transportation, nutrition, wellness, and other services for seniors. Committee members and Ms. Ceman discussed the mission of the ADRC, which is to empower and support seniors, people with disabilities and their families, by providing useful information and finding the help people seek so they may live with dignity and security, and achieve maximum independence and quality of life. There is no income requirement to receive information and referral. The ADRC aims to inform the public about Center services so that when there are questions and needs, residents know where they can get answers.

**Announcements and future agenda items:**

Planning for School for Seniors.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 10:10 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



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