

## MINUTES OF THE NEENAH COMMITTEE ON AGING

Thursday, January 16, 2025

9:00 a.m.

Third Floor Conference Room, Neenah City Administration Building  
and  
Microsoft Teams

**Present:** Chair Joshua Kutney, Vice-Chair Mike Veith, and committee members Susan Antonneau, Kristi Branchford, Pati Goodman, and Mary Jo Nackers. **Also Present:** Lori Duclon, Winnebago County Health Department; Kate Yates, YMCA of the Fox Cities ForeverWell Program Director; City of Neenah Assistant Planner Carol Kasimor; and Jim Lauer, Neenah.

### **Public Appearances:**

Lori Duclon discussed the public health vending machines located outside of Winnebago County buildings in Oshkosh (112 Otter Avenue) and Neenah (211 N. Commercial Street.) Basic needs items are available for free. <https://www.co.winnebago.wi.us/health/divisions-program-areas/community-health/substance-use/public-health-vending-machines>

Illnesses such as flu, pneumonia, RSV and Covid-19 continue to be prevalent in the community. A Covid-19 booster is recommended for persons aged 65 and over. Prevention of falls is especially important at this time of the year. Stepping On, a falls prevention workshop, will be held at Assisi Homes at 210 Byrd Avenue in Neenah.

Kristi Branchford discussed Valley VNA activities including free 2 hour respite for residents and their caregivers at St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 140 S. Green Bay Road, Neenah. Winnebago County Veteran's Office staff is available at the Valley VNA on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of even months.

Jim Lauer reported that the Winnebago County Aging and Disability Resource Center Board meeting will be held on March 10 at 3:00 at the Human Services Building, 211 N. Commercial Street, Neenah.

### **Approval of minutes of December 19, 2024 meeting:**

MSC Antonneau, Veith, the minutes of the December 19, 2024 meeting were approved as distributed.

### **Discuss committee purpose and future direction:**

Committee members reviewed a draft of bylaws for the committee.

### **Announcements and future agenda items:**

Meet with the Mayor regarding the mission of the committee.

Continued discussion about the Committee's purpose, history and future direction.

### **Adjournment:**

MSC Branchford, Antonneau, the meeting was adjourned at 10:05 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Carol Kasimor, Assistant Planner