

RHODE ISLAND CITIZENS COMMISSION
FOR THE SAFETY AND CARE OF THE ELDERLY
MINUTES, SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

Chairman Rick Susi called the Meeting to order at 10:05am at the RI Division of Elderly Affairs; Room 211, Louis Pasteur Building, 57 Howard Avenue, Cranston.

Attendance: Chairman Susi; Vice-Chair Quigley; Secretary Ciano; Mickaela Driscoll; Trooper Krystal Carvalho; Vincent Quintero; Tom Magill; Terry Haydt; Valerie Topp; Denise Owens; Jeanne Gattegno

Excused: Robert Rock; Marjorie Perry

Absent: Rita Murphy; Carolyn Pellegrino

Old Business:

****Minutes:**

The Minutes from the June 7, 2017 Meeting were reviewed and approved.

Final Conference Planning:

*Review and revisions of the Conference Registration Flyer and Conference Agenda completed.

*The Registration Flyer will be ready for distribution on/or before 9/15/17.

*The presenters were given additional time. The presenters will be advised to leave five minutes for questions. Secretary Ciano will notify presenters.

*Extend an invitation to Governor Raimondo. Secretary Ciano will follow up on this with Director Fogarty's Office.

*Secretary Ciano will follow up with Cathy Cilcius to confirm the Room and to ensure there is adequate space for all participants.

*Trooper Carvalho provided pamphlets on Scams and Fraud; USAA Effects on Aging and Driving; Internet Safety for Adults; and Identity Theft. Trooper Carvalho will have the pamphlets available for the Conference Resource Table.

*Mickaela Driscoll will have a list of steps to protect identity theft.

*Vincent Quintero will bring plastic bags for participants to put their resource information.

New Business:

*Chief Susi reported that the next Honor Flight is on October 21st. Most of the veterans are World War II veterans, as well as some Korean Veterans.

*Vincent Quintero said that the week of October 8, 2017 through October 14, 2017 is Fire Prevention Week. There will be a statewide Fire Drill and a training, "Seconds Count—Two Ways Out".

The Meeting adjourned at 11:10am. The next Meeting will be the 2017 Annual Police and Fire Advocate Conference. The Conference will be held on Friday, October 27, 2017, from 8:15am-12:00noon at New England Institute of Technology in East Greenwich. Registration begins at 7:30am.

Respectfully submitted,

Mary Ann Ciano