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Rhonda Sasa - Secretary
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Peter Susi-
Town Wide

Peter Lombardi, Jr-
District 2

MINUTES

The Johnston Senior Citizens Advisory Board held a meeting on **March 6th, 2014 @ 4:00 pm** at the Johnston Senior Center Board Room, 1291 Hartford Avenue, Johnston, RI 02919.

I. Meeting Called to Order & Pledge of Allegiance

- The December 5th, 2013 meeting of the Town of Johnston Senior Citizens Advisory Board was called to Order at 4:00pm at the Johnston Senior Center. The meeting was called to Order by the Chair, Gena Bianco, who led the meeting in the Pledge of Allegiance.
- A roll call vote of the members was taken.
 - Gena Bianco, Chair, Present
 - Gilbert Botelho, Vice Chair, Present
 - Rhonda Sasa, Secretary, Present
 - Marsha Cotter, Not Present
 - Peter Susi, Present
 - Peter Lombardi, Jr. Present
 - Joseph Quartino, Not Present

The Vice Chair declared that a quorum was present.

II. Approval of the Minutes from the meeting held on December 5th, 2013

- Gilbert Botelho made a motion to approve the minutes as prepared by the Secretary, Rhonda Sasa.

The Motion was seconded by Peter Lombardi, Jr.
Motion carried; Final Vote: 5 - 0

III. New Business

- No New Business

IV. Director's Report

- Director Anthony Zompa discussed the many objectives and goals and a discussion ensued.

Updates and changes are going to be made to the ever expanding and very successful exercise room. Other plans include revitalizing the kitchen and dining areas. Improvements include a large screen TV, two additional shades in the dining room and other exciting improvements to the dining and kitchen areas. There will be new storage cabinets for the crafts room, a new easel on wheels in the lobby and an additional cubical in the computer room. Outdoor of the Senior Center we will continue to move forward with the plans for the new portico and repaint the direction arrows in the parking area. New updated plans for the Pasta Dinner and upcoming trips were also discussed.

V. Chair Person's Report

- Gena demonstrated all the updates and improvements to our new Facebook page since our last meeting together. She also had many suggestions for updates to the Johnston Senior Center web page. Fundraisers and new ideas for fundraising was also discussed.

VI. Setting of the next Meeting date

- Gena approved the scheduled Meeting Agenda for every first Thursday in the Months of April, May, June, September and October at 4:00 pm. Currently posted on www.RI.Gov State of RI A. Ralph Mollis Secretary of State website.

The Motion was seconded by Peter Susi.
Motion carried; Final Vote: 5 - 0

VII. Adjournment

- Motion to adjourn: Gilbert Botelho made a motion to adjourn. The motion was second by Peter Susi.
Motion carried; Final Vote 5 - 0

Meeting adjournment at 5:55 pm.

Attest:

Rhonda Sasa
Secretary of the Johnston Senior Center Advisory Board