

FREDERICK COUNTY SENIOR SERVICES ADVISORY BOARD MINUTES
Monday, May 9, 2022, 1:00 PM
Virtual Meeting held via WebEx
301-600-1234

SSAB MEMBERS	SSD STAFF	EXCUSED	UNEXCUSED	GUESTS
Barbara Angleberger	Kitty Devilbiss			Linda Moran
Bruce DeShong	Brad Petersen			Julia Schaeffer
M.C. Keegan-Ayer	Sue Ramsburg			Judy Govostos
Bud Otis	Kathy Schey			Public Input
Thea Uhlig-Ruff	Linda Subramanian			
Sandra Wastler	Carolyn True			

- I. Welcome & Introductions** – Thea called the meeting to order at 1:00 pm and welcomed the attendees.
- II. Action on the Agenda** – No new items for the agenda.
- III. Approval of Minutes** – The minutes of the January 10, 2022, March 14, 2022 and April 11, 2022 were all approved.
- IV. Elected Officials’ Comments** – M.C. Keegan-Ayer mentioned that there were no amendments to be brought forward for the budget.
- V.** Sandra Wastler started explaining the Claire McCardell steering project, which was placed on the agenda in 2020 but delayed due to COVID. Linda Moran, chair of the project, and Julia Schaeffer will share information about the Claire McCardell project. Both will present a video about their projects. Unfortunately, Linda Moran could not get connected and the video would not run due to some technical errors, so Linda shared information about her project from its conception.

The project which started out with making a ball relief, then moved into a sculpture of Claire McCardell. The community of Frederick got involved and the Delplaine Foundation came to help with this project also. The ideas kept coming and money was raised and a local sculptor, Sarah Hempel Irani who also belonged to the Frederick Arts Club got involved. Claire was raised in Frederick, went to fashion design school in New York, then studied a year in Paris and came back to New York. She inserted the pockets into women's clothing for the first time and revolutionized the way the women's clothing was then made. You can see the sculpture of Clarie McCardell on the Carroll Creek Park in Frederick, right behind McCutchen's. The second video is about the unveiling of the Sculpture per Julia Schaeffer.

If you want to watch the videos of Claire you can see them at www.FrederickArtClub.com.

VI. Senior Services Division (SSD) Update, Kathy Schey

May is older Americans Month, and the Senior Division is quite delighted that the County Executive gave an Older American proclamation on May 3rd. The proclamation video was placed on the Senior Services Division Facebook page. The senior centers have several activities coming up at parks in and around Frederick County. There are virtual classes as well as some in-person activities in the senior centers. The State Attorney's office is having a presentation about fraud and abuse of the elderly. Groceries for Seniors is on the 3rd Friday of each month. We also have a shred event coming up on June 10th. You can see all these activities on our Frederick County website.

VII. New Business—No new business at today's meeting

VIII. Public Comment—No public comment at today's meeting.

IX. Adjournment—Meeting adjourned at 1:45pm

Linda Subramanian, Recording Secretary
Frederick County Senior Services Division