

MEETING MINUTES
ST. MARY'S COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING
February 22, 2021

Governmental Center - Potomac Building, Room 14, 23115 Leonard Hall Drive, Leonardtown, MD 20650
Dial-In Number: 301-579-7236 Participant Pin: 985097

CALL TO ORDER:

- AnnMarie Abell called the meeting to order at 1:03 p.m.

ROLL CALL:Print

- Ms. AnnMarie Abell
- Ms. Omonigho Olumese
- Ms. Sandra Simmons
- Ms. Janet Perryman
- Ms. Veda Willis
- Ms. Carolyn Guy
- Mr. Walter Boswell
- Ms. Virginia Morris
- Department of Aging & Human Services staff members present were Lori Jennings-Harris, Director and Mercedes Jones, Coordinator

ABSENT:

- Mr. Gail Murdock
- Ms. Wanda Brown

Approval of Minutes of January 25, 2021.

I move to approve the minutes of January 25, 2021 as presented.

Motion by Sandra Simmons, seconded by Carolyn Guy, motion carried.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Garvey Council -
 - The Garvey Senior Activity Center building is complete and awaiting the Governor's approval to reopen senior centers. The senior activity centers are holding virtual programs which are well attended.
- Homeless Coalition - Carolyn Guy
 - Ms. Guy attended the meeting. Stats were provided in relation to number of homeless in St. Mary's County. There were reported 45 homeless individuals in St. Mary's County; 40 are in shelters and 5 are in hotels. Of this number, there seem to be about 5 individuals ages 55+. DSS serves as the entry point for anyone in need of temporary cash assistance or any supplemental assistance.
- YMCA Exploratory Committee
 - The committee last met in July 2020, at that time they submitted their report to the Commissioners of St. Mary's County.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 2021 Meeting Schedule
 - The 2021 Meeting Schedule has been established. Meetings will be held on the fourth Monday of each month at 1:00 p.m.
- Continuing Discussion on Vision and Goals for 2021 and Beyond
 - Members discussed sending a survey to the seniors in the community to get feedback.

ADJOURN:

Motion to Adjourn

Motion by Omonigho Olumese, seconded by Virginia Morris, motioned carried.

NEXT MEETING:

March 22, 2021 at 1:00 p.m.

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Commission on Aging (Monday, February 22, 2021)

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