



**CITY OF UNIVERSITY CITY
REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMISSION ON SENIOR ISSUES
VIA VIDEOCONFERENCE**

Monday, November 16, 2020 – 6:00 PM

**IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING
PUBLIC ACCESS TO THE COMMISSION ON SENIOR ISSUES MEETING & PARTICIPATION**

Commission on Senior Issues will Meet Electronically on November 16, 2020

On March 20, 2020, City Manager Gregory Rose declared a State of Emergency for the City of University City due to the COVID-19 Pandemic. Due to the ongoing efforts to limit the spread of the COVID-19 virus, the November 16, 2020 meeting will be conducted via videoconference.”

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Citizen Participation

Those who wish to provide a comment during the “Public Comments” portion as indicated on the Commission on Senior Issues agenda: may provide written comments to the Deputy Director of Recreation ahead of the meeting.

ALL written comments must be received **no later than 12:00 p.m. the day of the meeting**. Comments may be sent via email to: letaylor@ucitymo.org or mailed to the City Hall – 6801 Delmar Blvd. – Attention Lynda Euell-Taylor, Deputy Director/Recreation. Such comments will be provided to the Commission on Senior Issues prior to the meeting. Comments will be made a part of the official record and made accessible to the public online following the meeting.

Please note, when submitting your comments, a **name and address must be provided**. Please also note if your comment is on an agenda or non-agenda item, and if a name and address are not provided, the provided comment will not be recorded in the official record.

The City apologizes for any inconvenience the meeting format change may pose to individuals, but it is extremely important that extra measures be taken to protect employees, residents board/commission members and elected officials during these challenging times.



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- Call to Order / Roll Call
- Approval of Minutes
- Citizens' comments: General comments may be made prior to agenda beginning. Citizens must make written request to speak on specific agenda items as items are addressed (Note: Comments are limited to 3 minutes).
- County Older Adult Commission Report
- Staff Liaison Report
- Council Liaison Report
- New Business
- Old Business
 - Continued brainstorming discussion on How to Let Resident Know About the Senior Commission and ways to keep in touch with the Golden Lions Senior Program participants
- Other Updates/Topics of Concern
- Public/Citizen Participation (comments limited to 3 minutes)
- Closing Comments
- Adjournment

THIS MEETING IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Enclosure: Draft of Minutes – October 19, 2020

If you are unable to participate,
please contact Staff Liaison, Lynda Euell-Taylor
314.505.8525 or 314.505.8625
or email: letaylor@ucitymo.org



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Members Present:

Wayne Flesch, Sandra Hewitt, Gloria Nickerson, Kathy Straatmann, Karl Reid

Excused: Diane Clark

Unexcused: Deja Scott

Also in attendance: Aleta Klein, Council Liaison; Lynda Euell-Taylor, Staff Liaison,

The meeting was called to order at 6:14 pm by Wayne Flesch, President.

Minutes: Ms. Nickerson moved to accept the September 21st minutes; Ms. Straatmann seconded. Minutes approved by acclamation.

Citizen Comments: none present

County Older Adult Commission Report: Mr. Flesch gave an update on the proposal by St. Louis Older Adult Commission to request CARE funds for home-bound lower income seniors geared for technology access and minor home repairs.

Staff Liaison Report: Ms. Euell-Taylor gave a monthly update of the "Golden Lions" Senior participants she has been in contact with.

Council Liaison Report: Councilperson Klein gave updates on the following: 1.) University City received CARES fund, indicated bulk will be going towards safety; will email commissioners the exact amount received. 2.) Proposed renovation/return of University City Police Department to previous City Hall location, Municipal Courts to old University City Library. 3.) Proposed Olive/I170 project. 4.) Indicated she would update commissioners with any information on election day voter transportation availability

New Business:

- November meeting will end President Flesch's term on Senior Commission
- Commissioner Hewitt accepted reappointment of a second term to Senior Commission; Commissioner Straatmann declined reappointment.
- Commissioner Nickerson indicated several seniors have taken advantage of home improvement opportunities through the SHED organization

Old Business:

- Discussion on quarterly vs. monthly Commission meetings – It was agreed by Commission members to revisit this topic at a later date and for 2021 to continue to meet monthly

Other Updates/Topics of Concern: none

Public/Citizen Participation: none

Closing Comments: none

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:13 pm.