

Date: November 8, 2011

Minutes: Camille Cushinberry

Present: Nancy Johnson-CRC, Debbie Lake-PLSC, Jo Salehar-LULAC, Christy Lane-ETSC, Scott Lein-KDOT, Margi Ness-NRC, Camille Cushinberry-CRC, and Shirley Biller-SCACA.

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	FOLLOW UP
Presiding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nancy Johnson 	
Purpose	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To work and complete a comprehensive senior transportation plan to be presented to the Shawnee County Commission by Dec. 21, 2011 	
Minute correction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> None 	
General Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We are trying to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of senior transportation within Shawnee County. United Way has put out an RFP for a Basic Needs Grant and we thought there are 2 areas we can focus on: 1.) Medical Transportation and 2.) Providing transportation to the meal sites and also providing nutritious and healthy meals. Discussed the Transportation Plan: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Defined general public, elderly, and disabled transportation Thought it would be a good idea to add Administration/Dispatcher to the report Defined medical assisted as “door to door” and medical unassisted as the seniors doing everything themselves We think it would be helpful to have a service map of all the destinations of senior centers created so we can eliminate the duplications <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 3 separate maps with destinations 1 map combining the 3 maps Senior Action Committee discussed combining this Committee into one. How can we service the seniors out in the rural areas that are not being helped?? 	
Grant Planning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The grant was submitted and we should hear back from United Way on December 16th. 	
Funding	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> After we get the grant sent off, the next step of this committee is to go out and speak to the funders around the community. The majority of the places we would like to target are the places we transport the seniors the most. 	
Areas to be considered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Training, dispatch, gas, dedicated routes 	
Next meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tuesday November 29th, 2011 at 1:30 p.m. – at NAACP (come to CRC and it is around the corner). 	