

**MINUTES OF COMMISSION MEETING**  
**Wednesday, June 12, 2019**  
**Elmhurst Public Library**  
**ELMHURST SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION**

COMMISSIONERS (PHYSICALLY) PRESENT: Gail Anderson, Monica Barichello, Georgia Dolan, Heide Forbush, Grayson Haller, Kris Hansen, Cathy Jordan, Peggy LoCicero, Kathy Lorenz, Ruth Maple, Pam Morrissey, Kristin Sanderson, Amy Srail, Chris White, Carol Yesko

COMMISSIONERS NOT PRESENT: Joel Morris, Maureen Wood

PRESENT: Carol Crews, Metropolitan Family Services

GUEST(S): Ylandus Roundy, Artis Senior Living; Colleen Fielmann, Comfort Keepers; Adam Apostolovich, LCSW

1. **Call to Order**—Chairman Cathy Jordan called the meeting to order at 1:04 p.m. with a quorum present.
2. **Public Comments**—There were no public comments.
3. The minutes of the May 8, 2019 meeting will be approved at the September 11, 2019 meeting.
4. **Guests** – Adam Apostolovich is a licensed clinical social worker who runs a therapy program for seniors in Elmhurst. He also lives in Elmhurst. Colleen Fielmann is with Comfort Keepers on Oak Lawn Avenue in Elmhurst. Her mother has owned the business for seventeen years. They provide in home non-medical care.
5. **Announcements / Correspondence**—Cathy thanked Ylandus again for hosting the May meeting at Artis Senior Living. Cathy was contacted by the Naperville Senior Task Force which would like a representative of the Elmhurst Senior Commission to attend a meeting on July 9 at 8 a.m. to provide an overview of our commission and our programs for them. Kris and Heide will attend. The October 9 meeting will be at the Glendale Heights Senior Center. The presentation of the Outstanding Senior Citizen Service Awards will be Thursday, November 7 at City Hall.
6. **DuPage Senior Citizens Council**—no report
7. **Metropolitan Family Services**—Carol said that she has called Ralph a lot about lawn mowing, since more calls are being received about seniors' lawns that are too high. Residents are being cited. Reports for April and May were submitted. Total residents served in April--22 and in May--24. Carol was recognized with an award for her outstanding social services.

**8. Committee Reports:**

- a. **Transportation**—Ruth said that the committee is monitoring Ride DuPage. It is difficult to efficiently schedule return trips from doctors' offices if and when appointments are running late.
- b. **Collaboration**—no report. Cathy thanked Kristin and the committee again for the successful conference.
- c. **Education**—Kathy said the June Community Conversation will be on the 15th. Jim Rogers, Executive Director of the Elmhurst Park District will present the Elmhurst Park District Vision 2020.
- d. **Housing**—Kris said that the planned open house at City Hall with the aldermen, D.S.C.C. and M.F.S. is June 24 from 6-7 p.m.

**9. Other Business—**

**THE NEXT MEETING WILL BE 1:00 P.M.  
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2019  
ELMHURST PUBLIC LIBRARY**

- 10. Adjournment**—There being no further business the meeting adjourned at 1:43 p.m.

Heide Forbush, Secretary

