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**Visioneering Wichita
Older Adult Alliance
Meeting Notes ~ June 8, 2010**

Attendees: David Babich, Cathy Landwehr, Laurel Alkire, Mary Corrigan, Kris Lewis, Tom Byler, Pat Healy, Joan Flynn, Monica Cissell, Shana Gatschet

Livable Communities Symposium

The Livable Communities Symposium date is July 29th, 8:00 a.m. – noon, Newman University, Dugan Conference Center.

Symposium format:

- Continue the conversation from the 1st symposium
 - Speakers confirmed
 - Mary Corrigan & Sandy Markwood
 - Dr. Wong has been invited back
- Panel presentation
 - Would like to have several regional initiatives showcased
 - Panel suggestions:
 - WAMPO
 - Wichita Transit - Mike Vinson
 - Hesston – pre-K and senior group
 - Rails to Trails – Newton
 - Coffeyville – Windsor Place, a Kindergarten class at the nursing home
- Jump Start grant recipients
 - Either round table discussion or booths

The city will be asked to video tape the program as they did last year. CPAAA will develop a flyer and news release. Alliance members are asked to help get the word out.

Jump Start Grant Update

Cathy Landwehr is in discussion with Greg Black about collaborating with us on the DVD. Once a decision is made she will contact the committee.

No report on the Via Christi grant.

Older Adult Fact Sheet

Mary Corrigan provided a handout of data gathered to date. It was decided the data needs to include the MSA not just Sedgwick County. Suggestions on data to be included are business ownership, volunteer numbers and number of home owners. More work will be done gathering data for our next alliance meeting.

<http://www.visioneeringwichita.com/minutes/older/Draft%20Older%20Adult%20Statistical%20Profiles.pdf>

Alliance Webpage

Copy on the Older Adult Alliance webpage on the Visioneering Wichita website can be changed. One idea was a brief background information section followed by current activities with links. The information from Shana Gatschet's home show flyer can also be used. Cathy Landwehr will pull together general ideas. Anyone with ideas/suggestions please email Cathy at clandwehr@sedgwick.gov.

Next Meeting

July 13, 3:00 p.m. Wichita Metro Chamber of Commerce, 350 W Douglas.

Agenda Items:

- Symposium debriefing
- Jump Start grant updates – DVD, Via Christi
- Fact sheet update