## **COLRAIN COUNCIL ON AGING**

## **MINUTES FOR AUGUST 25, 2014**

Meeting called to order at 3:00 by Chairman Larry Bezio.

Attending: Larry Bezio, Kathy Phelps, Richard & Amy Herzig, Mary York, Valeda Peters, and we welcomed our newest member Kevin French.

Secretaries Report: Richard accepted, and Amy seconded, unanimously approved.

Treasurers Report: Bing was not available, but Amy moved to accept, and Kathy seconded it, unanimously approved with subject to audit, but later that evening Richard emailed the report that Bing had sent.

Richard received notice from Mass Assoc. COA, that we do not need to pay \$150, because they have received a Grant.

FCHC Foot Clinic has been accepted on Oct. 1 Title III Grant. On Sep 11, there were new requirements for Title VI D.

Bing requested \$1,500 Grant for Foot Clinic.

Donations: One foot clinic on 8/18--\$79.00 and one meal on 8/13-- \$272.00

Bills: Telephone August \$20.66/ Church Bill for July \$300.00/Arnold's meat \$235.77/Foster's \$63.96/Market Basket \$220.40/Sharon \$368.62 preparation and produce/ Pine Hill Orchard \$36.00 for corn/ Kip one bill \$335.00 for 8/18 Foot Clinic.

Valeda accepted and Mary seconded, unanimously approved.

September dinner is Chicken and Biscuits.

It has been confirmed that Gretchen Smith will be at our Oct. 8 meal, at 11:00

Apple Day has been confirmed for September 24, with rain date of September 25. We voted to pay for bags of apples for Colrain residents, along with cider, donuts and three pies.

Richard accepted, and Amy seconded, unanimously approved.

West County Friends have been asked to take part. They will pay for their own apples.

Bill Roberts, a Colrain regular at our dinners, said he would be happy to play his guitar for us. Larry will ask him for Sep.

There will be two foot clinics in Sep. 8th and the 10th.

Colrain residence have been invited to take a bus with Gill-Montague Seniors to the

Big E on Sep. 18. Colrain residence will pay \$39 of the \$59.00 required. Call Kathy Phelps for more information.

The bus trip on October 15 to Ogunquit Maine for dinner and a show,is being planned. COA members will pay \$50. For more information people may contact Richard and Amy. There will be flyers at the Sep 10 dinner.

We talked about the Military Band playing at the Church, and that has been confirmed for Sep. 22 at 7:00pm.

**Old Business: None** 

New Business: Lorraine York will speak at our November 12 dinner at 10:30.

Received a notice from Bill Galvin's Office, that Seniors may receive free admission to the Boston Commonwealth

Museum of Massachusetts History.

Meeting closed at 3:50 pm.
Richard accepted, Kevin seconded it, unanimously approved.

Respectfully submitted, Valeda Peters, secretary