

Lisa Anthony called the January 5, 2012 Senior Commission Meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

Members Present: Eleanor Collins, Yolanda Rubino, Ruth Schwab, Mike Vallone, Helen Winkel and Phyllis Zea.

The minutes of the December 1, 2011 meeting were reviewed by the members. Mike Vallone made a motion to accept the minutes as presented and Phyllis Zea seconded the motion. Minutes were accepted as presented.

Members reviewed the Health and Human Services report for the month of December. Some discussion and clarification followed. Members all agreed that they are recycling more due to the increased size of the recycling container.

St. Vincent DePaul report from Mike Vallone. The Christmas Cheer Foundation fed 17,000 people, and distributed 4,500 gifts for children in Chicago and the suburbs. St. Vincent DePaul has paid for rent for some families, and the food pantry is well stocked.

Phyllis Zea reported to the members that the last class she took, "Take Charge of Your Health" from Aging Care Options was very good, and she encouraged members if they have diabetes to take the class that is being offered on January 16, 2012.

Phyllis shared the following articles with the members and attached is a copy of those articles:

1. Yellow Dot Could Save Lives in Traffic Accidents
2. Medicare Premiums Lower Than Expected
3. Cold Weather Tips
4. Shoes That Keep Track

The Senior Citizen Commission meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,


Lisa Anthony