



Lisa Anthony called the December 3, 2015 Senior Commission meeting to order at 1:00 p.m.

Members present: Kitty Greenwood, Ruth Schwab, Mike Vallone and Helen Winkel.

Guest present: Tom Bunting, Legislative Aide for Representative Camille Lilly

The minutes of the November 5, 2015 were reviewed by the members. Motion by Mike Vallone and seconded by Kitty Greenwood to accept the minutes as presented. Motion carried and the minutes were accepted as presented.

St. Vincent DePaul report by Mike Vallone. They have given out a lot of food this past month along with money for rent and utilities. Mike also participates in the Christmas Cheer Foundation and they will provide Christmas meals and gifts to over 17,000 people.

American Legion report by Mike Vallone. The Legion participated in Veteran's Day services in Franklin Park and Melrose Park. The Christmas party for the children will be held on December 5th.

Relay for Life report by Kitty Greenwood. The relay will be held on Friday, July 18, 2016 from 6p – midnight. It will be held up at the Gazebo.

Ruth voiced a concern regarding the apartment building at 9817 Schiller. The garbage is continually overflowing and the dumpster lids aren't closed. In addition they have dogs in the apartment building and they don't clean up after them. Will report this to the building dept. to follow up on.

Lisa reminded the members that on Friday, December 11th is the blood drive at the community center. All members said they will be there to help.

Tom Bunting reported that SB2039 passed which gives LIHEAP an additional \$165 million in funding, and the funds will be released. Seminars will be held in January regarding Utility Billing and in February on Senior Fraud. Tom will email the fliers.

The Senior Commission meeting adjourned at 1:50 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Lisa Anthony