

TOWN OF SUDBURY  
COUNCIL ON AGING  
MINUTES OF SPECIAL BOARD MEETING  
August 24, 2017

WEBSITE: <http://sudbury.ma.us/departments/CouncilOnAging/>

**Present: Chairman:** John Beeler

**Director:** Debra Galloway

**Members Present:** Bob May, Alice Sapienza, Patricia Tabloski

**Guests:** None

Meeting called to order by Chair Beeler at 2:00 PM

**Update on Current Initiatives and Status (All present)**

Members discussed the progress on the Age Friendly initiatives and the Community Needs Assessment Project conducted by the University of Massachusetts in Boston to begin in the Fall. The AARP Community Challenge grant was not funded, but the two proposals submitted to the BayPath Area Agency on Aging were funded. The BayPath funding will support a transportation project scheduling a shuttle back and forth on Route 20 and another project to increase ethnic diversity at the Senior Center. Updates to follow.

**Transportation (Sapienza, Galloway)**

The transportation plans are proceeding. A trial of evening service will commence in the Fall.

**Recommendation/Report to COA (Beeler)**

Chair Beeler will prepare a report with recommendations for future planning for discussion with the Council on Aging board members.

**Comments/Future Plans (All Present)**

A draft of priorities to guide future planning and ensure coordination of efforts will be developed for discussion at the September Board Meeting.

**ACTIONS:**

**Motion to Adjourn: 3:15 PM**

**Date for Next Meeting – September 12, 2017 at 3:00 PM.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
Patricia Tabloski Secretary