

**MINUTES
SENIORS COMMISSION
TOWNSHIP OF MONROE
JANUARY 9, 2014**

The Reorganization Meeting of the Monroe Township Seniors Commission was called to order by 2013 Secretary Aileen Wojciechowski at 7:05pm in the 2nd Floor Meeting Room of the Municipal Complex. Notice of this meeting was given as required by the annual notice of meetings.

2013 Secretary Aileen Wojciechowski led the Commission in the salute to our flag.

SWEARING IN

Before the start of the meeting, 2013 Chairperson Jeanette Remsen administered the Oath of Office to Clorinda Scarfo and Philip Scarfo.

ROLL CALL

Present: Rosemarie Buriak, Mary Chiodo, Lillian Hendrickson, Veronica Kwasniewski, Jeanette Remsen, Clorinda Scarfo, Philip Scarfo, Helen Venable, Cncl. Marvin Dilks

NOMINATIONS & ELECTION

As 2013 Secretary of the Monroe Township Seniors Commission, Aileen Wojciechowski conducted nominations and election. Aileen asked for a nomination for the 2014 Chairperson. Rosemarie Buriak nominated Jeanette Remsen as the Chairperson; no other nominations from the floor. All in favor, no oppositions. Jeanette Remsen is the Chairperson of the Monroe Township Seniors Commission for 2014.

Chairperson Jeanette Remsen asked for a motion to reappoint Aileen Wojciechowski as the 2014 Secretary. Mary Chiodo made a motion to reappoint Aileen Wojciechowski as the Secretary, seconded by Veronica Kwasniewski; no other nominations from the floor. All in favor, no oppositions. Aileen Wojciechowski is the Secretary of the Monroe Township Seniors Commission for 2014.

Chairperson Jeanette Remsen asked for a nomination for the 2014 Vice-Chairperson. Jeanette Remsen nominated Rosemarie Buriak as the Vice-Chairperson, seconded by Veronica Kwasniewski; no other nominations from the floor. All in favor, no oppositions. Rosemarie Buriak is the Vice-Chairperson of the Monroe Township Seniors Commission for 2014.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Rosemarie Buriak made a motion to approve the minutes as submitted of the Seniors Commission Meeting of December 5, 2013. The motion was seconded by Veronica Kwasniewski and approved by all members of the Commission in attendance.

CORRESPONDENCE, REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS

Secretary Aileen provided a copy of Resolution SC/R:01-14 in reference to the Seniors Commission 2014 Meeting Dates. Aileen asked for a motion to approve Resolution SC/R:01-14. Jeanette Remsen made a motion, seconded by Philip Scarfo; all in favor, no oppositions.

CORRESPONDENCE, REPORTS AND OTHER MATTERS (cont'd)

Jeanette noted that 170 different people attended the 2013 Senior Commission trips. For the December trip to see Frankie Avalon, 36 people attended; 40 people minimum was needed, so 4 empty seats had to be paid for. Safety Tours has recently implemented this rule. There are 53 people attending the January trip to Resorts Casino for The Kid Sings Swing on January 13th. Jeanette mentioned that the Red Cross Blood Drive to be sponsored by the Monroe Township Seniors Commission is set for February 7, 2014 at the Pfeiffer Community Center. She said she does not need help with the phone calls to set the appointments; she will do all this herself. A week before, Jeanette will give the members a list of people to call and remind them of their appointments. The goal for the blood drive is 23 pints. The February trip to Careme’s Restaurant at the Culinary Arts at Atlantic Cape Community College is February 24th. The March trip to see ‘Busy Body’ at Hunterdon Hills Playhouse is March 15th. The April trip might be a casino trip. The May trip to Sight & Sound Theatre for ‘Moses’ is on May 7th. The September trip to Peddler’s Village for BINGO is on September 11th. Jeanette explained that if the Commission has the same budget of \$4,800.00 as recent years, that allows 6 dinner theater trips to pay for buses, which is \$675.00 for each bus and when a casino trip is taken, no township money is used, because the whole package is paid by each person who is attending. Jeanette asked the members to decide on a date in April to take a trip; their choices are April 2nd or 9th. Jeanette also asked that the members come to the February meeting with ideas for an overnight trip.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to discuss, Chairperson Jeanette Remsen asked for a motion to adjourn. Veronica Kwasniewski made a motion to adjourn the Monroe Township Seniors Commission Meeting of January 9, 2014. The motion was seconded by Helen Venable; all in favor, no oppositions. Meeting adjourned at 7:55pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Aileen Wojciechowski, Secretary

The next scheduled Monroe Township Seniors Commission meeting is Thursday, February 6, 2014 at 7:00pm.

These minutes were prepared from excerpts of the tape-recorded proceedings of the Reorganization Seniors Commission Meeting of January 9, 2014 and serve as only a synopsis of the proceedings.

Approved as submitted _____ Date _____
Approved as corrected _____ Date _____