

Franklin Township Senior Advisory Board Meeting

02/08/2022

Meeting called to order with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendees: Bill Morris, Jim Rohrer, Cindy Merckx, Jean Thompson, John Sheldon
Debby Caruso, Elaine Adams, Tom Nichols, Kathy Wargo, guest Shirley Simpkins.

Minutes from January meeting were read and approved by Jean and John.

AGENDA: 1. Check on sales tax status

2. Find out how many Senior Citizens in Franklin could be using and needing our services.

OLD BUSINESS: 1. Bill Morris reports there is still no progress with our sales tax exemption status. He suggests going to Township Committee and see if the Township Solicitor can give guidance or maybe look into it for us.

2. We have 89 Seniors that follow our Senior Facebook Page

460 Seniors 65 or older, and 434 Seniors who are 60 – 65

NEW BUSINESS: 1. It was suggested that we have more info and advertisement on our Facebook page, also make up some kind of flyers and distribute around town in various businesses to help promote Senior Lunches, The Senior Citizen Club, and other other activities available.

2. Check to see if we can get the Senior bus activated for transportation to lunches. In house attendance has been low

because some Seniors are home bound and have no way to get to the center.

3. There are many services available to our Seniors through the

The State and County we need to make our Citizens aware and recruit people to help with services like the Seniors Reassurance Caller Program, which provides a volunteer that will call home bound People at least 2 times a week to provide support and Company.

Motion to adjourn by Bill Morris, approved 1st Jean Thompson, 2nd Kathy Wargo

Next meeting for Senior Citizen Advisory Committee is 03/08/2022, 10:00 am.