East Bridgewater Council on Aging December 1, 2020

Call to Order: 6:04 PM

Present: R. Ringuette, Chairman, P. Andrade, R. Saccoacia,

J. Smith, H. Bomar, A. Merek, N. Hill, Director, M. Haines, Treasurer,

D. Sheedy, Selectman, S. Muir **Absent**: D. Rogers, Secretary

Minutes of Previous Meeting

A motion was made by S. Muir to accept the minutes of Nov. 10, 2020 as read, seconded by H. Bomar and approved by the members.

Treasurer's Report

M. Haines reported that the current balance of the EBCOA Sunshine Fund is \$282.34. A motion was made by S.Muir to approve the report, seconded by H. Bomar and approved by the members.

Director's Report

N. Hill reported that work at the COA continues to go well, limited activities have been moved inside, masks and social distancing are required and cleaning is done throughout the day.

Members of the Council all agree the staff is doing an extraordinary job!

Tax Work-Off positions have been filled and will begin on Dec. 1. K.Long has been very busy with Medicare Open Enrollment which ends Dec. 7.

The Board of Health and CVS provided a Flu Clinic on Nov. 9. On Nov. 22 N. Hill, K. Long, S. Prendergast and volunteers delivered 120 Thanksgiving dinners that had been prepared by Whitman K. of C. and on Nov 24, 100 pies were distributed. The Holiday Pie Grab and Go was sponsored by the Howard Fund. Holiday Gift Bags were distributed at Riddell Rd. and Prospect St. housing complexes. The month was also busy with Walking Club, Yoga, podiatrist appointments, Grab and Go Lunch program and Zoom meetings. A motion was made by J. Smith to approve the Director's Report, seconded by A. Merek and approved by the members.

Selectman Sheedy announced that the Town Meeting on Dec. 7 has been rescheduled to Jan. 11, 2021.

Mr. Sheedy shared the sad news that Diane Warkel's husband, Stan has passed away after a long illness.

Motion to adjourn

A motion to adjourn was made by R. Saccocia, seconded by A. Merek and approved by the members.

Next Meeting

January 5, 2021

Respectfully submitted, Susan Muir