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| <p>Commission on Aging Resources Access Committee Meeting Monday, February 14, 2022 Location: Zoom Virtual Meeting</p> <p>Commissioners Present: Lee (Chair), Arnos, Kilroe, Querol-Moreno, Uhl; Absent: Clement, Batara; Giannini, Taylor Public Present: no members of the public were present Staff Present: Anna Sawamura; Cristina Ugaitafa</p> | |
| 1. Welcome and Introductions | Chair Lee welcomed committee members at 11:00 a.m. |
| 2. Public Comment | No public comments |
| 3. Revise/Approve February 14, 2022 Agenda | Commissioner Querol-Moreno moved to accept as submitted; Commissioner Kilroe seconded. Agenda approved as submitted. |
| 4. Review/Approve January 10, 2022 Minutes | Kilroe moved to accept as submitted; Commissioner Arnos seconded.. Minutes approved as submitted. |
| 5. Committee Assignments | Commissioner Lee agreed to take minutes. |
| 6. Help at Home Guide Update Project | <p>Chair Lee reported that the work of the RAC on the Help at Home Ad Hoc Committee was completed. A revised draft of the guide was submitted to Anna Sawamura and her team, who are now finalizing it. There were some issues regarding content that were resolved with the help of an additional meeting of the Ad Hoc Committee, whose recommendations were submitted to Ms. Sawamura. There appear to have been issues regarding formatting and creating an on-line version which are still being addressed. One question concerns the use of http:/ as part of the web addresses; including it is felt by some to increase security.</p> <p>Chair Lee again thanked everybody for their important contributions to this effort.</p> <p>A question was raised regarding a possible press release to announce the updated version when it is completed. It appears that it is unlikely the County would publish such a release, but it was decided to employ various other methods to ensure that the new version is publicized, including NextDoor, the County Manager’s weekly publication, Senior Center newsletters, libraries, etc. It was also suggested that there should be a celebratory event.</p> |
| 7. Building Relationships | <p>Chair Lee recognized Commissioner Querol-Moreno for her efforts to build a closer relationship with representatives of seniors in East Palo Alto, which has resulted in the attendance of two members of the EPA Senior Advisory Committee at the General Meeting and their expressions of interest in applying for the open Commissioner position.</p> <p>Committee members reported on a number of staffing changes in their cities.</p> |



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| | The Committee had suggested to the Executive Committee that an anniversary follow up event for the April 2021 Meet and Greet event be part of the 2022 speaker agenda. The agenda for the first half of the year does not include such an event, but something may still be possible for later in the year. |
| 8. RAC Goals | The Committee is hopeful that the goal of a more diverse Commission will be advanced through Commissioner Querol-Moreno's successful effort to engage with the EPA Senior Advisory Committee. |
| 9. Planning for Re-Opening | The Committee decided to discuss concrete efforts to participate in community events after more of the current uncertainties about re-opening have been resolved |
| 10. Review Assignments from this Meeting | There were no specific assignments |
| 11. Adjournment | Meeting adjourned at 12:10 p.m. |