

**CITY OF KIRKLAND
KIRKLAND SENIOR COUNCIL
Minutes of Regular Meeting
July 13, 2021**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The July 13, 2021 Kirkland Senior Council Regular Meeting was called to order at 1:39pm by Chair Susan Harris-Huether.

2. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Jim Hall, Susan Harris-Huether, Kathy Iverson, Penny Kahn, Steve Lewis, Barbara Loomis, Ingrid Martin, Caryn Morawek, June Palon, and Dave Wagar.

Staff Present: Betsy Maxwell, Program Coordinator and Jairid Hoehn, Recreation Supervisor

Members Absent: Karen Hartman and Jack Staudt

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Member Barbara Loomis motioned to approve the June meeting minutes as presented, seconded by Member Kathy Iverson, motion passed unanimously.

4. ITEMS FROM THE AUDIENCE

- A. Terri Cleveland from Woodlands at Forbes Creek joined the meeting and talked about available affordable housing at Woodlands at Forbes Creek.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Member Susan Harris-Huether is making edits on the current Senior Council recruitment brochure. She will send it to staff when it is complete to be printed.
- B. Members agreed to supply root beer floats at the Stepper's Finish Line as a way of recruiting new members to the KSC. Member Penny Kahn will take the lead on this project.
- C. Staff member Betsy Maxwell gave a general overview on the reopening plans for the Peter Kirk Community Center. The Center will be reopened to the public on August 2, 2021.

6. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Members Susan Harris-Huether, Caryn Morawek, Kathy Iverson and Barbara Loomis will represent the KSC at the Wednesday market on July 28, 2021. This will be an opportunity to hand out the East King County Resource Guide for Older Adults as well as a recruitment opportunity.
- B. Member Penny Kahn is going to reach out to Medic I and to Bartell Drugs to see about bringing back the Vial of Life project. Penny will report on status at next meeting.

7. COMMUNICATIONS

A. Member Reports

i. Resource Guide

Member Penny Kahn reported that the resource Guide will be updated by the end of September.

ii. Advocacy

Member Kathy Iverson reported on the status of the Federal Agenda. Member Barbara Loomis made a motion to support the Federal Agenda as written, seconded by Member Penny Kahn, motion passed unanimously. The advocacy committee will continue to meet with Bellevue Network on Aging to continue work on advocacy issues and affordable housing.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Member Kathy Iverson motioned to adjourn the meeting and Member Barbara Loomis seconded the motion. Meeting was adjourned at 2:28 pm.