Commission on Aging Lebanon Senior Center Regular Meeting November 14th, 2016 6:30pm

Present: Geri McCaw, James Donnelly, Gary Rockefeller, Jane Cady, Bonnie LeBlanc, Liz Shilosky, Marion

Russo and Donna Lennox

Absent: Darlene Hathaway

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm by Chairman Bonnie LeBlanc

Approval of Minutes: Minutes from October 17th regular meeting were reviewed by all present. The motion was made by Geri McCaw and seconded by Liz Shilosky to accept the minutes as read, and approved by all present.

Correspondence: N/A

Treasurer's Report: Finances in good standing with 72% of the budget remaining.

Reports/Director Darcy Battye: The Veterans luncheon was very well attended and appreciated. The regular weekly lunch is doing well also and we are seeing a few new faces. New Van Coordinator is working out well and we have finally received the title on our large van. The December calendar will be out shortly and we will be hiring two more van drivers in the near future.

Bingo: Bingo is well attended, with approximately 40 each week with some new faces coming in.

Trips: Marion presented us with a list of new trips coming up for next year that should be very popular and will be listed in the senior newsletter.

Cards: Drop-in Setback will continue on January 6th, 2017 and will be held on the first Friday of each month.

Friends: The Friends are continuing to work on becoming incorporated and working very hard on setting up for the Christmas Bazaar on Saturday, December 3rd from 9-3.

Luncheon: Attendance increasing with the colder months. This week's lunch will be a Thanksgiving turkey dinner with all the trimmings and over 100 people were expected.

Old Business: The dates were verified for our meetings for 2017 and distributed to all members. We had also discussed possible limitations to van use.

New Business: Several copies of transportation policies for other towns & services were presented for us to look over for future discussion. We are seeking to reorganize our present use of our vans to do the best we can, frugally, so that we can provide the important services that our seniors require. It may be necessary to curtail some of the pleasure uses of the vans and that will be considered at a future time. At this time, the new garage/carport is still in discussion. We are also seeking info on entering a lease agreement for another van.

Public Forum: The senior center will be having an energy audit in the near future to advise us on ways to make better use of our power.

Motion to adjourn was made by Jim Donnelly and seconded by Marion Russo at 7:07pm, and approved by all present.

Respectfully submitted,

Donna Lennox