



Livable Community for Successful Aging Policy Board Meeting Agenda

Meeting date: Tuesday, April 14, 2026; 4:00pm – 5:30pm

Hybrid Meeting

Meeting Minutes

- 1) Welcome & Introductions – Kalohn
 - a) Meeting was called to order at 4:08PM.
 - b) Present in-person: John Kalohn, Jeff Kellbach, William Quinn, Lisa Parlato, William Quinn, Mandi Remington
 - c) Present virtually: Violette Bray, Hayley Crabb, Thomas McDanel
 - d) Absent: Lou Tassinary, Stacia Rath, Greg Smith
- 2) Public Comment – Comments on items not on the agenda
 - a) None
- 3) Approval of March 2026 Meeting Minutes
 - a) Motion to approve the minutes by McDanel, Second by Crabb, all in favor, motion passes.
- 4) Update from Aging Specialist – Kellbach
 - a) No update this month
- 5) Finance Report
 - a) No new expenses since last meeting.
- 6) Action Plan
 - a) Goal 1(Communication and Information)- Kalohn will look to see if the impact of improving AARP score 10 points is feasible.
 - b) Goal 2(Communication and Information)- Suggested that the action “Alternative methods of collaboration for orgs that cannot participate on the JCLC board. Action Teams, task force, special events ” have the same resources needed, barriers, outputs and measures of success as the action above it “Invite organizations to participate in JCLC board meetings and reciprocate by attending board meetings of other organizations.”
 - c) Goal 3 (Health Services and Community Supports)- We will update measures of success- web hits, amount of printed material picked up, Navigators/ Aging Specialist use the information, etc.
 - d) Goal 4 (Respect and inclusion)- Hayley suggested moving this to a Communications Goal.
 - e) Goal 5 (Outdoor Spaces and Buildings)- Change date to 2029
 - f) Action Plan Outline
 - i) Community Profile Section 4- assigned to Lisa P. and Hayley C. by next board meeting.
 - ii) Introduction to the plan Section 5 a and b- Mission and Vision Statement- assigned to McDanel assigned to work on this.
 - iii) Introduction to the plan Section 5 c- Who was involved in development of the plan- assigned to Kalohn and Kellbach
 - iv) Introduction to the plan Section 5 d- Synopsis of learnings from the Community Assessment- assigned to Kalohn, Rath, and Daniel Liebrecht
 - v) Introduction to the plan Section 5 e- who will manage implementation of the plan- assigned to Kalohn

vi) Introduction to the plan Section 5 f- Other information that is important to the plan- assigned to McDanel

7) Housing Action Team Funding Request

- a) Housing Action Team is requesting \$200 for entry to the Johnson County Fair. Motion to approve the request by Quinn, Second by McDanel. Discussion that the County does have space at the Fair that could be used at no additional cost. The vote moved forward that if the County space is not sufficient with all ayes, motion passed.

8) Older Americans Month

- a) 2026 Theme- Champion Your Health
- b) Riverside Theatre- Talk-back session Sunday, April 26. Mary McCall and Jordan Pahl will be on the panel with Kalohn. Policy Board members encouraged to attend the talk back session.
- c) FilmScene- "I Like It Here" on May 7th. TRAIL (Christine Scheetz) and Iowa City Senior Center (Emily Edrington) will partner with JCLC, Pat Heiden serving as the moderator. Tickets will be pay what you can. Hayley will forward the pdf of the flyer to help promote the event.
- d) The MIND diet presentation- Susie Roberts from Iowa State university Extension in Ames. A funding request for up to \$400 for her time and travel costs was presented. The motion was made by Parlato and seconded by Quinn. All ayes, motion passed.
- e) Solon Aging Well Expo on Tuesday, May 19th from 10AM-12PM- A funding request for \$50 for JCLC to serve as a vendor at the event. Motion by Kellbach and seconded by Quinn. All in favor, motion passes. Jeff will share the event flyer.
- f) Art Talk with Amanda Lensing- Artisits and Aging on May 19th at 10:30AM via Zoom. Please help promote the event.
- g) Proclamations- Talking points will be emailed out to everyone and we requested Policy Board members to sign up to attend the various proclamations. The full schedule with Cities will be emailed out.
- h) Csomay Center Older Americans Month display on aging at ICPL- Kalohn and Kellbach will provide JCLC materials.

9) Csomay Center: Opportunity for JCLC to participate in Alumni Day on April 18th with tabling from 10AM-2PM and a Walk Audit from 2-3PM.

10) Meeting dates for future meetings

- a) Executive Committee Meeting- April 28, 2026 4:00PM, virtual
- b) Policy Board Meeting- Tuesday, May 12, 2026, 4:00pm, hybrid
- c) Executive Committee Meeting- TBD virtual

11) Future Meeting Topics

- a) None

12) Announcements

- a) Resignation from Policy Board- Lorraine Bowans has submitted her resignation as she focuses on the lending library.
- b) Facebook Page Link: <https://www.facebook.com/JCSocialServices>
- c) Latest Newsletter: <https://www.johnsoncountyiowa.gov/livable-community/newsletter>
- d) Other- Heritage Area Agency on Aging announced they will be opening an Encore Café in Johnson County. Date and location to be determined.

13) Adjournment

a) Meeting was adjourned at 5:25PM

Johnson County Livable Community Mission Statement:
Help Johnson County become a livable community where everyone can age successfully.