



Livable Community for Successful Aging Policy Board Meeting Agenda

Meeting date: Tuesday, May 12, 2026; 4:00pm – 5:30pm

Hybrid Meeting

Meeting Minutes

- 1) Welcome & Introductions – Kalohn
 - a) Meeting was called to order at 4:05PM.
 - b) Present in-person: John Kalohn, Jeff Kellbach, Lisa Parlato, Mandi Remington
 - c) Present virtually: William Quinn, Hayley Crabb, Stacia Rath
 - d) Absent: Lou Tassinary, Violette Bray, Greg Smith, Thomas McDanel
- 2) Public Comment – Comments on items not on the agenda
 - a) None
- 3) Approval of April 2026 Meeting Minutes
 - a) Motion to approve the minutes by Quinn, Second by Parlato, all in favor, motion passes.
- 4) Update from Aging Specialist – Kellbach
 - a) Legislative Forum- Heritage Task Force on Aging will hold a forum on June 15th from 2-3:30PM in Room 203 of the Health and Human Services Building. Invitations have been sent out to Senators and House Representatives that serve Johnson County to attend. A flyer will be sent out to Policy Board members once we have a final draft.
- 5) Finance Report
 - a) Jeff reported that we had approved expenses since our last meeting which included the email vote to approve funding for up to \$200 for refreshments for the Elderly Consortium Meeting earlier this month.
 - b) We still have funds to utilize this fiscal year. There was a question about whether these unused funds would roll forward to next year, but they do not.
- 6) Action Plan Outline
 - a) Section 4: Community Profile- Lisa and Hayley have not had an opportunity to connect thus far, but Hayley reports she has started pulling some information and received information from Greater Iowa City.
 - b) Section 5 a and b: Introduction to the Plan- Tom is not here but he is working on the Vision Statement.
 - c) Section 5 c through f: Introduction to the Plan- John is involved in these sections along with various Policy Board members.
- 7) Johnson County Elderly Consortium- We hosted the Johnson County Elderly Consortium meeting in Room 203 last week. The event was well attended, and we provided an overview of JCLC and the survey results.
- 8) Older Americans Month
 - a) Updates on Riverside theatre and FilmScene events- Riverside Theatre was well received. We had probably a third of the audience that stayed after for the panel discussion. Film Scene event was well attended and kudos to Hayley for all her work. Talk back with Senior Center and TRAIL of Johnson County after the screening was well attended.

Hayley reports that money from the FilmScene event will go to TRAIL. Not sure on the amount but believes it will be several hundred dollars. Discussion about another movie event at FilmScene and will need to find an appropriate movie. Hayley reports that coworkers approached her about a film that is focused on dying. Hayley questions if it would be the best selection for Livable Community.

- b) The MIND diet with Susie Roberts- Will be tomorrow in Room 203 from 10-11:30AM. Susie will present tips on eating well for aging
 - c) Solon Aging Well Expo- Will be next week on Tuesday, May 19th from 10AM-12PM.
 - d) Art Talk with Mandi Lensing- Also on the 19th, Mandi will be talking about senior artists and aging via Zoom. This event will overlap with the Senio Expo so if Policy board members can make it to either event that would be great.
 - e) Proclamations- Our last Proclamations are tonight, Lisa has volunteered to cover the Coralville meeting tonight in addition to University Heights.
 - f) Csomay Center- John attended the Alumni Day event. Jen Jones and John were the only participants for the walk audit.
- 9) Meeting dates for future meetings
- a) Executive Committee Meeting- May 18, 2026 4:00PM, virtual
 - b) Policy Board Meeting- Tuesday, June 16, 2026, 4:00pm, hybrid
 - c) Executive Committee Meeting- June 23, 2026 4:00PM, virtual

10) Future Meeting Topics

- a) None

11) Announcements

- a) Facebook Page Link: <https://www.facebook.com/JCSocialServices>
- b) Latest Newsletter: <https://www.johnsoncountyiowa.gov/livable-community/newsletter>

12) Adjournment

- a) Meeting was adjourned at 4:22PM

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