

COMMISSION ON SENIORS
February 13, 2019 AT 12:00PM
Austin City Hall, Boards and Commissions Room
301 West 2nd Street, Austin, TX 78701



CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:

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| <i>Janee Briesemeister, Chair</i> | <i>Natalie Cagle</i> | <i>Billy Jackson</i> | <i>Jayant Sheth</i> |
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| <i>Patricia Bordie</i> | <i>Adam Hauser</i> | <i>Emily De Maria Nicola</i> | |

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

There may be discussion and action on any of the following items:

I. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

Each speaker signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will be called in order of sign-up and will be allowed three minutes to speak about items posted or not on the agenda.

II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE COMMISSION ON SENIORS JANUARY 9, 2019 REGULAR MEETING

III. ANNOUNCEMENTS

IV. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Introduction of Public Health Program Coordinator for the Age Friendly Action Plan, Tabitha Taylor, Austin Public Health
- B. City of Austin Budget Process and Engagement (Janee Briesemeister)
- C. Austin Strategic Mobility Plan Resolution (Peter Varteressian)
- D. Senior Property Tax Issues, (Karen Grampp and Janee Briesemeister)
- E. Update on Media Briefing from AARP (Jessica Lemann) and AustinUP (Teresa Ferguson)

V. OLD BUSINESS

- A. Commission Work Plan – Standing Item
- B. Updates from Working Groups – Standing Item
 - i. Age Friendly Action Plan Implementation Working Group
 - ii. Transportation, Housing and Outdoor Spaces Working Group
 - iii. Social Participation, Respect and Social Inclusion, Civic Participation and Employment Working Group
 - iv. Community Support and Health Services Working Group

- C. Update on Joint Inclusion Committee – Standing Item (Janee Briesemeister)
- D. City of Austin Budget – Standing Item (Janee Briesemeister)
- E. Update on the Equity Action Team – Standing Item (Emily De Maria Nicola)

VI. STAFF BRIEFINGS

VII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

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