## CITY OF BERLIN COMMITTEE ON AGING MEETING AUGUST 28, 2018 9:31 AM Berlin Senior Center

The meeting was called to order by Chuck Fehl at 9:31 AM

Roll Call: Present – Chuck Fehl, Keith Hess, Larry Pelchat, Richard Trochinski, Ron Harke, Nancy Trochinski, and Judy Rich. Absent – Jake Jodarski, Karen Neuman. Others: JoAnn Guden (Friends of Senior Center)

The agenda was approved on a motion by Pelchat/ D Trochinski that passed by voice vote.

The minutes of the June 26, 2018 meeting were approved on a motion by Pelchat/Trochinski. Motion carried

Discussion on donation from Don Haueter Family: Table to next meeting

Ron Harke gave an update on the City of Berlin Landlord Ordinance which was dropped. Landlord organization can still meet, conduct their business, and invite City Staff as needed. Hotel Development Specialist (Micheal) is scheduled for a report to the City Council on Sept 11. Verizon is looking to rent space in Berlin for a new tower. Green Lake County is moving to take over the zoning for townships within a 5 mile boundary of the City of Berlin. Take over is projected to be 1 Jan 2019.

R Trochinski reported on the County ambulance study which was requested by several townships in northern Green Lake County. Southern townships in Green Lake County are against a county ambulance service. Southern townships are served by Southern Green Lake County Ambulance Service. New county Highway Commissioner was introduced. Commissioner comes to the county after working for the Wisconsin Department of Transportation. The 3 year draft Health & Human Service plan has been approved. Public hearing on the plan is scheduled for the 5<sup>th</sup> of Sept. Nice turn out for the County Senior Picnic in Princeton.

JoAnn Guden reported on the very nice turn out for the Senior Picnic held at Riverside Park. Also commented on NO GAS HARKE. Friends are looking at the floor in the main part of the center as the next project.

Chuck gave an update on Eyes Have It group. Group is planning on a trip to Madison on the 18<sup>th</sup> of Sep. Wisconsin Council of the Blind is funded by memorials and private donations. Public awareness for the "White Cane" is lacking!!!

Coordinator's report: Table to next meeting

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 25, 2018 at 9:30 AM. Meeting was adjourned on a motion by Pelchant/R Trochinski. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted, Keith C. Hess Secretary COA