

Town of Montville
COMMISSION ON AGING
12 Maple Ave. Uncasville, Connecticut 06382
November 6, 2019 Minutes

1. Call to order
Chair Doherty-Peck called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m. on November 6, 2019 in the library in the Senior Center.
2. Roll call
Present were commission members: Doherty-Peck, Doherty, Skinner, Taylor, Ziegler and Lt. Radford.
Absent: McNeil, Adams and Liaison Pollard.
3. Approval of minutes
A motion was made to approve the minutes of the October 2, 2019 meeting by Radford and seconded by Taylor. All in favor.
4. Approval of the bills
None
5. Correspondence
None
6. Remarks from the public
None
7. Introduction of Speakers
Susan Christiano from Visiting Angels was the guest speaker. Visiting Angels is a non-medical in-home care agency. Susan spoke about Visiting Angels hiring practices and policies. She brought with her an informative handout: "Questions to ask when choosing an in-home care agency". She went over these questions in detail with the commission. She also brought a handout detailing their background screening process. Afterwards, she answered the commissions questions regarding in-home care.
8. Reports
Kathleen Doherty-Peck, Senior Center Director
November is very busy with the energy program starting November 13 and also open enrollment for Medicare. The Mohegan Tribe has donated 300 turkeys for the Thanksgiving Baskets. The seniors will be filling the Thanksgiving baskets in just a few weeks.

Kathy Pollard, Town Council Liaison
None

Lt Radford, Police Liaison
Lt. Radford mentioned the new program for family members of at-risk individuals. Residents can register their at-risk family member with the police department. The commission discussed ways to get the word out about this program to the community.
9. Old Business
Home Health Care Discussions Ongoing. The commission is looking to have a speaker from the Department of Health at the February 2020 meeting.
10. New Business
The commission voted to keep the meetings for 2020 on Wednesday mornings at 9:00 am. It was voted that Kathie Doherty-Peck will stay on as Commission-Chair. All in favor.
11. Remarks from the Public
No public
12. Remarks from the Commission
None
13. Adjourn
A motion was made to adjourn meeting at 10:19 a.m. by Ziegler and seconded by Radford. All in favor.