



Senior Center Commission Agenda
Thursday, January 16, 2020
4 PM
Iowa City/Johnson County Senior Center - Room 205

- 1. Introductions/Welcome—L. Dorfman**
- 2. Minutes (December 19, 2019)**
- 3. Public Discussion for items not on the agenda**
- 4. Commission Assignments— L. Dorfman**
Board of Supervisors - Call in advance to be placed on the agenda
City Council- All meeting dates are tentative and should be checked prior to attending
January 21 and February 4 at 7 PM
- 5. Operational Overview—Staff**
- 6. Commission Discussion— L. Dorfman**
 - ❖ **Meeting Reports**
 - ❖ **Elect Commission Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary**
 - ❖ **Future Agenda Items**
- 7. Adjourn**

****Next meeting is Thursday, February 20 at 4 PM room 205 at the Senior Center****

Meeting Packet Contents:

1. Agenda: Thursday, January 16, 2020
2. Minutes: Senior Center Commission, Thursday, December 19, 2019

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**MINUTES
SENIOR CENTER COMMISSION
DECEMBER 19, 2019
ROOM 205, IOWA CITY/JOHNSON COUNTY SENIOR CENTER**

Members Present: Kenn Bowen, Lorraine Dorfman, Scott Finlayson, Zach Goldsmith, Angela McConville

Members Absent: Hiram Webber

Staff Present: LaTasha DeLoach

Others Present: None

CALL TO ORDER:

The meeting was called to order by Bowen at 4:00 PM.

RECOMMENDATIONS TO COUNCIL:

None.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 15, 2019 MEETING:

**Motion: To accept the minutes from the August 15, 2019 as amended.
Motion carried on a vote of 5/0. Finlayson/Dorfman**

PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

None.

COMMISSION ASSIGNMENTS:

None.

OPERATIONAL OVERVIEW:

The spring program guide is now available and the first day of registration was on December 13th.

The Senior Center's new vision statement is: To continue social involvement and end social isolation to people 50 plus.

Staff met with Parks and Rec employees to find ways to collaborate and potentially share space. A new partnership with Film Scene was recently launched for Senior Center members for a \$5 movie twice a month.

The Senior Center is partnering with the University of Iowa Public Policy Center to survey members in our community who are age 50 plus who are not involved in the Senior Center. The Senior Center received a grant from Johnson County Community Foundation to help support the survey. Data

DeLoach is going to start a coffee with the Coordinator in the spring.

The Commission discussed the alcohol policy and how it will function for rentals.

Motion: To accept the Alcohol Policy. Motion carried on a vote of 5/0. Goldsmith/Dorfman.

Motion: To accept the Art Exhibit Policy. Motion carried on a vote of 5/0. Dorfman/Goldsmith.

COMMISSION DISCUSSION:

Dorfman attended a City Council member in September.

Bowen would like to discuss in the future increasing the half time development specialist position to a full-time position.

DeLoach would like to discuss the Center Ambassadors program at the next meeting.

Motion: To Adjourn. Motion carried on a vote of 5/0.

**Senior Center Commission
Attendance Record**

Name	Term Expires	1/24/18	2/21/19	3/21/19	4/25/19	5/16/19	6/20/19	7/18/19	8/15/19	9/19/19	10/17/19	11/21/19	12/19/19
Kenn Bowen	12/31/19	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	NM	NM	X
Cheryll Clamon	12/31/19	O/E	X	NM	X	X	NM	X	X	--	--	--	--
Lorraine Dorfman	12/31/21	X	X	NM	O/E	X	NM	O/E	X	NM	NM	NM	X
Robert (Scott) Finlayson	12/31/20	X	O/E	NM	X	O/E	NM	O/E	X	NM	NM	NM	X
Zach Goldsmith	12/31/21	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	NM	NM	X
Angela McConville	12/31/21	--	--	--	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	NM	NM	X
Hiram (Rick) Webber	12/31/19	X	X	NM	X	X	NM	X	O/E	NM	NM	NM	O/E

Key: X = Present
O = Absent
O/E = Absent/Excused
NM = No meeting
-- = Not a member