

CHESHIRE HUMAN SERVICES COMMITTEE MINUTES

Thursday, September 11, 2014

Cheshire Town Hall

Attendance: K. Selleck, C. Trussell, B. Trussell, M. Pickett, B. Barlok, R. Veleber, S. Nichols

Staff: K. Schechter, S. Theroux

Call to Order: Quorum determined. Meeting called to order at 7:00pm.

R. Veleber made motion to accept June 2014 minutes. B. Trussell seconded the motion. All in favor.

Social Services Report: 54 Food Vouchers were distributed for August 2014. Renter's Rebate continues until 10/1/14. Then Energy Assistance to start 10/1/14. K. Schechter at crisis training next week also attending Task Force on Hoarding meeting 9/12/14.

Senior Services Report: Senior Services Social Worker had 14 working days. 33 scheduled appointments, including 5 transportation assessments and 3 home visits. There were 174 inquiries which reflect scheduled, unscheduled, telephone calls and emails. In addition to the above the S. Theroux has 3 provider meetings, 1 caregiver support group and 1 CHAT program.

There are presently 2 student interns at the Senior Center. A senior level social work student from Southern who will be at the Senior Center until May of 2015 and a junior level gerontology student from Quinnipiac who will be at the Senior Center until December of 2014. The Social Work student will be completing telephone reassurance calls.

Health and Wellness Fair is scheduled at the Senior Center on 10/9/14.

New Business: None

Old Business: Program on Inhalants, is it still taking place? K. Selleck will up.

M. Pickett motioned to adjourn. R. Veleber seconded. All agreed. Motion to adjourn 7:26pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Stefanie Theroux