

Sterling Senior Center Design & Building Committee

1835 Town Hall - Conference Room

May 8, 2013 - 6:30 pm

MINUTES

Present: Co-Chairman Maureen Cranson, Richard Maki, Weymouth Whitney. Ex Officio: Karen Phillips. OPM: Frank Kennedy and Joseph Homyak. Visitors: Kevin Beaupre, Sharon Bloom, Barbara Foster and George Pape. **Absent:** Jack Chandler, Ron Cote and Peter Watson. Ex Officio: Terri Ackerman.

Meeting Opening: Co-Chairman Cranson began the meeting at 6:37 pm and noted that the Committee was lacking a quorum and could not vote on any matters before the Committee.

The assemblage continued as an informational session with substantial public input from those representing positive and negative opinions regarding construction of a new senior center.

Minutes: Approval of the minutes of May 2, 2013 was deferred to the next meeting.

Information Sharing:

- Mr. Kennedy shared his final *PowerPoint* presentation and accepted several suggested modifications by the Committee and audience members.
- The Committee shared the order of presentation at the ATM.
- Mr. Maki shared a graph depicting the slow decline of the school-aged population and the rise of the senior population resulting in more seniors than school-aged children. He also shared data identifying the current and future COA costs and their proportion to the total tax bill.

Respectfully submitted by,

Richard H. Maki

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