

Community and Health Support Services Working Group Meeting
March 23, 2022 6:30 p.m.

The Royal Oak Senior Services | Aging in Place Task Force is hosting a public engagement effort using working groups made up of residents and experts to review data, services and look for opportunities for improvements. In recognizing that COVID-19 is impacting seniors especially hard and many of the working group members are seniors; there are no decisions being made or funds allocated; working group participants are non-appointed; and there is no quorum of task force members the meetings may be held virtually over zoom or in person.

Residents can share their thoughts regarding the data, services, and opportunities for improvement by:

- Speaking up during the public input portion of the working group meeting or at a regular Senior Services | Aging in Place Task Force meeting.
- Emailing Susan Barkman at SusanB@romi.gov for distribution to the working group.

Future public engagement efforts regarding the task force recommendation to the city commission will be posted online at romi.gov/agefriendly.

The Senior Services | Aging in Place Task Force would like to remind anyone attending working group meetings in-person, that masks are required in city facilities. Additionally, many of our participants are seniors who may be more susceptible to COVID-19 and wearing masks is an important step of limiting the spread of COVID-19 and protecting fellow residents.

Anyone wishing to participate in the meeting who needs special assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is asked to contact Carol Schwanger, city manager executive assistant at 248-246-3203 by noon on the Saturday prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Agenda
Senior Services | Aging in Place Task Force
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Zoom Meeting

To watch: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83348766121>
To listen in, dial: 929-205-6099 and webinar ID: 833 4876 6121

1. Call to order
2. Review and approval of minutes from [March 9, 2022](#)
3. Reminder of envision statements:
 - We envision a Royal Oak that promotes a successful health and meaningful life by acknowledging the diverse health related needs of residents in the Royal Oak community.
 - We envision a Royal Oak that provides access to community resources, tools for a healthy lifestyle, and support for individuals aging in place.
4. Options for transportation for getting to doctor appointments within and outside of Royal Oak (Paul Webb, guest speaker)
5. Update from senior center programs
6. Update from church outreach
7. Brainstorm of We Are (initiatives, programs or partnerships that the City of Boston is already participating that will encourage age-friendliness beyond the Age-friendly initiative) and We Will (set of recommended action items)
8. Public comment
9. Next meeting, April 13, 2022
10. Meeting adjourn