



Minutes
MARINETTE COUNTY
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT
S85.21 Transportation Public Hearing

October 9, 2019 11:00 am
Crivitz Northwood's Senior Cafe' & Center,
516 N Hwy 141, Crivitz, WI 54114

Present: Mary Basak, Pam Mueller-Johnson, Tom Kopecky, Bill Rodenbaugh and Glenn Sartorelli.

- 1. Call to order.**
Glenn Sartorelli called the hearing to order at 11:01am.
- 2. Agenda**
MOTION (BASAK/MUELLER-JOHNSON) to approve agenda. Motion carried.
- 3. Minutes**
MOTION (RODENBAUGH/MUELLER-JOHNSON) to approve the minutes of the October 18, 2018 meeting. Motion carried.
- 4. Public Comment.** ~ None
- 5. Correspondence**
 - Affidavit of Publication – Public Notice
 - Human Services Transportation Plan for Marinette and Oconto Counties ~ overviewed.
- 6. Overviewed and discussed the 2019 s85.21 Grant Process.**
 - Reviewed application and guidelines.
 - Overviewed Transportation Coordinators responsibilities and programs served.
 - Marinette County Elderly Services: Provides rural transportation for medical and shopping needs.
 - Marinette County Health & Human Services: Provides urban local transportation for the needs of the elderly and disabled. Strives to enhance local transportation services without competing or duplication of services.
 - Expressed concern for funding in regards to the future needs of our growing elderly populations ~ referred to as a "Silver Tsunami".
 - Discussed the donations/fair box revenue for transport vehicles.
 - Overviewed contracts between Marinette County and Marinette County Elderly Services.
 - The total funding request is \$151,553 with a County match of \$30,311.00. Marinette County Elderly Services to receive \$90,932 upon receipt of funding.
 - Expressed concern about when legislatures may not understand the impact this program has on people and we need to do our best to advocate for these services for Senior's.
 - Noted also that socialization is very important to the wellbeing of our senior population.
 - Discussed the dangerous traffic on the highway in front of the senior center and possible contacts that we can reach out to for help regarding that.
 - NewCap is building a new 45 unit housing facility which may generate more need for this type of transportation.
- 7. Adjourn**
Motion (RODENBAUGH/KOPECKY) to adjourn hearing at 11:40 a.m. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted: *Bobbie Dolliver, Recorder*