

MEETING MINUTES
ST. MARY'S COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING
August 25, 2025
Garvey Senior Activity Center, 23630 Hayden Farm Lane, Leonardtown, MD 20650

CALL TO ORDER:

- Barbara O'Neal called the meeting to order at 1:01 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

- Aurora Hidalgo
- Barbara O'Neal
- Dawnn Hahn
- Kimberly Hansing
- Rowena Bossio
- Triverr Gray
- Department of Aging & Human Services staff members present: Lori Jennings-Harris, Director; Mercedes Jones, Coordinator

ABSENT:

- Christine Morgan
- Kei Jenkins
- Omonigho Olumese
- Sara Oliver
- Shalonda Nelson

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM July 28, 2025:

- Barbara O'Neal requested a motion to approve the minutes of July 28, 2025. Motion by Dawnn Hahn, seconded by Aurora Hidalgo, motion carried.

BUDGET:

- Barbara O'Neal requested a commission member volunteer to generate a plan for gift bags to go with home-delivered meals. Lori Jennings-Harris estimated 150-175 receive home-delivered meals.

SENIOR FOCUS AREAS:

- Senior Transportation - No update.
- Senior Housing - No update.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Barbara O'Neal reported she contacted Health St. Mary's Partnership (HSMP) Co-Chair Kelsey Bush regarding partnering with this commission on the Saving Claire Project. There is interest and Kelsey believes it would fit best with the Environment Health Action Team. Barbara O'Neal volunteered to generate a plan outlining responsibilities & agreements.

NEW BUSINESS:

- No discussion.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- St. Mary's County Government Boards, Committees and Commissions Volunteer Training Night for members directors, and staff liaisons is September 9th at 5:15p.m. in the Chesapeake Building Meeting Room, located at 41770 Baldrige Street in Leonardtown.
- Healthy St. Mary's Partnership (HSMP) Annual Meeting is 25 September.
- St. Mary's County Homelessness Prevention Board Community Resource Day is 25 September.
- Tri-County Meeting October 9th 10am - 2:30pm in Calvert County.

ADJOURN:

Aurora Hidalgo motioned to adjourn the meeting at 1:28 p.m., seconded by Dawn Hahn, motion carried.

NEXT MEETING:

Monday, September 22, 2025 at 1:00 p.m.
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Minutes taken by Kimberly Hansing

Generated by Mercedes P Jones on Thursday, September 18, 2025