## Committee on Aging Meeting Minutes October 1, 2008

The monthly meeting of the Committee on Aging was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Mike Feirer at the Marshfield Senior Center.

Members present: Mike Feirer, Joe Weinfurtner, Gerri Steinwagner, Becky Huebner-Leu and Don Zais

Members absent: Jean Doty and John See

Others Present: Pat Apple and Kelly Cassidy

Motion by Don Zais, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gerri Steinwagner to approve the minutes from the October 1, 2008 meeting with the following correction. Meeting ended at 10:30 a.m. and typo should read Don will follow up, not Don ill follow up. All ayes, motion carried.

## Old Business:

Mike and Don will be on Insight on November 3, 2008 to discuss the Open House/Health Fair.

Converter Boxes – there are 8 different kinds available. Reception strength depends on current set-up, rabbit ears, etc. in most cases have poor strength. Radio shack is offering to update for approximately \$20 in the City of Marshfield. On October 23<sup>rd</sup>, the Marshfield Public Library is sponsoring an information session. This information will be given to ADRC to distribute. Don Zais will informally present at 9:15 on 10/10/08 and possibly have a booth at the Health Fair.

1,200 people in Marathon County still have not applied for the economic stimulus.

Update on the Aging Disability Resource Center. There are more requests for ramps to utilize Hoverrounds. Ken Eberhardt will be screening the requests.

Family Care will be starting 11/1/08 in Marathon City. This replaces COP funding.

The Open House will be held at the Senior Center on November 7 from 10 – 11:30. There will be 20 venders participating. Marshfield Clinic will provide flu and pneumonia shots. Food will be set up in the pool table area. An accurate count will be kept. There were approximately 100 people last year. Will make sandwiches for 175 people. A collection basket will be out for donations. Kelly will check with Four Seasons for fruit. The menu will be Sandwiches, pretzels, coffee, apples, cranberry juice, muffins, and fruit. Tables will be set up the Friday prior to the fair. Flu shots will be set up in exercise room with another table for completing paperwork. Becky will call Mike Weigel regarding taping for "It's Happening" on cable access with Gerri Steinwagner to be interviewed. Kelly will send Becky specific advertising information.

## **New Business:**

There will be a Chili Feed/Cook-off at the Golden Living Center – Three Oaks on October 6<sup>th</sup> from 5 – 7 p.m.

The Alzheimer's Walk will be held on October 11<sup>th</sup> at the Oak Avenue Community Center.

Check presentation is completed for new card tables from the Marshfield Eagles Club and the Marshfield Professional Police Association.

Next meeting date is December 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 at City Hall.

Motion by Joe Weinfurtner, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Zais to adjourn at 10:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Huebner-Leu