

**Utah Commission on Aging**  
Minutes for February 17, 2006

<b>Commission Member Attendees:</b>	
TantaLisa Clayton	Utah Legal Services
William Cox	Rich County
Rob Ence	AARP
Michael Jones	Utah Department of Financial Institutions
Pat Jones	Utah House of Representatives
Norma Matheson	Honorary Chair
Shauna O'Neil	Salt Lake County Aging Services
Anne Peterson	Osher Lifelong Learning Institute
JoAnn Seghini	Midvale City Mayor
Rev. Robert Shrank	St. John's Lutheran Church
Sara Sinclair	Sunshine Terrace Foundation
Dr. David Sundwall	Utah Department of Health
<b>Commission Members Unable to Attend:</b>	
Richard Bradford	Governor's Office of Economic Development
Allen Christensen	Utah Senate
Lisa-Michele Church	Utah Department of Human Services
Tani Downing	Department of Workforce Services
Leone Harwood	Utah Department of Transportation
Joette Langanese	Rural Health Management
Larry Marx	Taylorville Police Department
Kristie McMullin	Southwest Applied Technology College
Michael Styles	Utah Office of Ethnic Affairs
<b>Other Attendees:</b>	
Marie Christman	Utah Department of Human Services
Denise Brooks	University of Utah
Wade Faraway	Utah Attorney General's Office
Brooke Adams	Salt Lake Tribune
Tonya Keller	Utah Department of Health
Becky Allred	Stagg Elder Care Services
Scott Wright	University of Utah College of Nursing
Nels Holmgren	DAAS
Lynn Samsel	Coalition of Non-Profits
Joshua Pedersen	211 Referral
Steve Caverly	University of Utah, Utah Corrections
David Patton	University of Utah
Angie Welling	Salt Lake Tribune
Tonya Papanikolas	KSL
Michael Deily	Department of Health
Alan Ormsby	Department of Aging and Adult Services
John Bennett	Utah Quality Growth Commission
Jan Hamming	JKH Associates
Gina Coccimiglio	CareSource

Norma Matheson called the meeting to order at 9:05. She welcomed all those present and spoke favorably of the progress that the Commission on Aging is making.

The minutes from the January 11, 2006 meeting were approved.

### **Commission on Aging Update**

Maureen Henry Presented an update of Commission on Aging activities.

- Utah has been accepted for an AARP National Legal Training Project Grant. AARP will provide training on financial exploitation to law enforcement and prosecutors.
- The Almost Home PBS documentary was shown in Salt Lake City in January with excellent attendance. It is scheduled for another showing in March.
- Maureen Henry recommended formation of a Special Committee on Public Relations.
- Norma Matheson, Maureen Henry, and Lisa-Michele Church are scheduled to meet with the Governor’s Office in early March to present the Project 2030 recommendation.
- Input was solicited on the recent mailing about the Commission on Aging long-term strategy. No issues were raised.
- Special Committee project status is as follows:

	As of January 17, 006	As of February 17, 006
Complete	2	6
In process and on schedule	24	26
In process and extended	0	2
Not scheduled to start	6	11
Total	32	45

A motion was made, seconded, and passed to accept the proposals and special committee member changes in the Summary provided.

### **Recent Senior Utah Survey**

Gina Coccimiglio of the CareSource Charitable Foundation presented the results of a recently completed survey of older Utahns. This study was done in conjunction with the State of Utah, Department of Human Services, Division of Aging and Adult Services. Notable items were that 87% of respondents are happy with their lives, 70% expect to stay in their homes as they age, and 20% responded “I don’t know” when asked where they would go for information about services. Maureen Henry spoke and acknowledged the role of Aging and Adult Services in the study. She reinforced the percentage of Utahns who are happy with their lives and expressed concern about the number of individuals who said they have no one to turn to if they need help managing financial or personal matters. Pat Jones added that aging issues in the Utah legislature are a fight and take great effort. She said that people need a dose of reality and that the sense of well being is eroding. Older seniors are more optimistic than younger seniors. The sandwich generation is starting to become concerned about senior issues. Not knowing where to go for information is a big concern.

### **Aging Information and Referral**

Josh Pederson, Director 211 Information and Referral, presented information on the 211 program and how 211 can meet the information needs of Utah's aging population. He described a "virtual network" of aging specialists.

### **Aging Inmates/Probationers/Parolees/Releasees**

Steve Caverly presented draft information about aging prisoner, probationers, parolees, and releasees in Utah. See attached summary of this information.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made, seconded, and passed.

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## Commission on Aging

Status Report

February 14, 2006

### A. Financial Security

#### Complete:

#### 1. Explore collaboration with Utah Saves

**Progress:** Maureen has met with Bill Crim and Jerilyn Stowe; Jerilyn will participate in the Financial Security Special Committee and we will continue to explore ways to most effectively work together; Utah Saves made a presentation to HR Directors concerning programs for employees; Committee will work with Utah Saves as distribution mechanism for Consumer Guide; Lorna Koci attended site coordinator training for State of Utah; Utah Saves has offered support for evaluation of Consumer Guide; we will continue to collaborate when possible.

**Deadline:** February 28, 2006

**Status:** Complete

#### *In Progress:*

#### 1. Create a Consumer Guide to Financial Security

**Progress:** Drafting is underway. Draft will be ready by March 31; Final will be ready on April 30.

**Deadline:** March 31, 2006

**Status:** *Extend deadline to April 30*

#### 2. Conduct evaluation of effectiveness of consumer guide

**Progress:** AARP determining whether it has expertise available to conduct evaluation

**Deadline:** September 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

#### 3. Assure that Financial Security is addressed by any resource center on aging that is created by the Commission

**Deadline:** September 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

#### 4. Assess policy gaps for regulatory/legislative consideration

**Deadline:** December 30, 2006

**Status:** On hold until after completion of the guide.

### B. Community-Based Care and Services

*Complete:*

- 1. Explore the feasibility of developing a one-stop web-based resource tool that will provide a comprehensive list of resources available to an aging individual that can be accessed by providers, caregivers, and aging individuals**

**Progress:** We have concluded that it is feasible to develop a one-stop web-based resource tool. To that end: (a) We have had a number of meetings with 2-1-1 Info; it is revising its policies to enable a complete listing of services, including private-for-profit providers (b) We met with DWS and 2-1-1 Info reps to discuss the Utah Cares database on January 12; we will draft a proposal to look at making the interface with Utah Cares more user-friendly; (c) We continue to discuss how to assure that we are not duplicating services and that any tool will maximize the value of services already being provided by existing organizations; to this end, Maureen and Josh Pederson attended a U4A meeting to assure that AAA directors are supportive of our approach.

**Deadline:** February 28, 2006

**Status:** Complete

*In Progress:*

- 1. Explore the feasibility of forming an Aging Resource Center in collaboration with other Special Committees and existing agencies**

**Progress:** Discussing a virtual network of providers.

**Deadline:** February 28, 2006

**Status:** *Extend deadline to May 31 to allow for further needs assessment and discussion*

- 2. Conduct a law/policy review of DHS (Aging, Mental Health and Substance Abuse, DSPD), DOH, and Workforce Services programs that support aging individuals in the community, and encourage/recommend changes that support integration of services, transparency, and cooperation (May 31, 2006)**

**Deadline:** May 21, 2006

**Status:** Forming working group to discuss issues.

- 3. Support piloting the use of an evidence-based geriatric care management model in doctors' offices and recruit doctors' offices to participate**

**Status:** Awaiting plan from Healthcare committee to determine role.

**C. Caregiver**

*Complete:*

- 1. Review N4A "Making the Link" program and determine whether to assist AAAs in applying**

**Progress:** We have learned that this program /resources is available to local AAA's. Originally, the curriculum required a local AAA to work through the State to secure the training. However, this is no longer the requirement: now a local AAA may initiate requests for training and materials to the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging. The manual is online and representatives are available to assist and support local AAA staff in learning about how to communication between providers and families. Encouraging

and teaching communication strategies will strengthen the support of family caregivers. We will consider using these materials and coordinating with AAAs as we move forward in efforts to train caregivers as care managers.

**Deadline:** February 28, 2006

**Status:** Complete

*In Progress:*

**2. Identify evidence-based and successful models for supporting caregivers in the workplace and recruit one State of Utah department or division and one private-sector employer to test caregiver-friendly policies.**

**Progress:** Recruited America First Credit Union and the State Developmental Center, with over 2000 employees between the two work sites.

These employers will review their policies and practices concerning employee support and will be coached in caregiver-friendly practices. They will also implement an employee survey to identify employed-caregiver needs and request. From there, additional coaching and training will be provided through the Committee and results will be evaluated through satisfaction surveys.

The goal is to demonstrate, with Utah-specific evidence and experience, that employers who are support family caregiving through training, supervisor-employee discussions and appropriate employee assistance will retain valued employees and possibly reduce unplanned use of leave time for caregiving tasks.

A model employee survey is being researched and developed for these employers; we will be work to recruit a student or obtain funding through Division of Aging and Adult Services to analyze the results.

The goal is to provide well-designed and pilot-tested training for caregivers. In collaboration with UCare, this training is well-underway. Final evaluation and reporting is expected by September.

**Deadline:** May 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**Evaluate the success of caregiver friendly workplace models**

**Progress:** See above.

**Deadline:** November 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete before deadline.

**3. With UCARE and Healthcare Special Committee, develop and assess the effectiveness of training caregivers as care managers**

**Progress:** In collaboration with UCare, training for caregivers is being developed by Dr. Judith Holt at USU. The Special Committee is invited to review the proposed curriculum and recruit trainers who will train caregivers. The training is structured in modules or stand-alone units on specific topics

such as home-nursing techniques, coping with dementia, stress management, etc. These modules will be presented singly or combined into a workshop format when offered in the community. The Special Committee will help to recruit trainers from various ethnic, urban, and rural communities. These trainers will attend the train-the-trainer events in late Spring, implement the curriculum in two events and submit the evaluations to USU.

**Deadline:** June 30, 2007

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

4. **Support Community-Based Care Special Committee's efforts to explore the feasibility of (a) a one-stop web-based resource tool that will provide a comprehensive list of resources available to an aging individual that can be accessed by providers, caregivers, and aging individuals and (b) Aging Resource Center in collaboration with other Special Committees and existing agencies.**

**Status:** Discussions continue on the issues of feasibility of the Resource Center. The good news is that this Special Committee is working with other groups to make some form of a Resource Center a reality.

*New Deliverable:*

1. **Recruit committee members from rural and ethnic communities.**

**Status:** Recruited members from Logan and Kanab who are participating via telephone conference calls, as well as a member of the Hispanic community.

**D. Education**

*In Progress:*

**Produce a web-based and paper Sourcebook: a one-stop shopping resource for citizens in the State of Utah that addresses**

- **Opportunities for retraining and education of older adults**
- **Opportunities for professional development as a specialist in aging issues**

**Progress:** The Education Special Committee has been diligently working on collecting data relevant to the completion of the SMART sourcebook. The sourcebook will represent a comprehensive database of all education and training programs that are directed toward older adults in the State of Utah.

The Sourcebook database will be shared with selected *existing* organizations and programs (e.g. 211 Info Bank) and will be available in several electronic formats (e.g. PDF – HTML – DOC – EXCEL) and will be available as a hard-copy print version as well.

We are working on the collection of data during the month of February and March and we will begin to transform the information into database formats in April and May.

**Deadline:** July 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

## E. Healthcare

### *In Progress:*

**1. Develop a pilot program to test evidence-based geriatric care management model in doctors' offices and recruit doctors' offices to participate**

**Progress:** Coordinating with Hartford Grant Recipients at IHC, U of U, and VA to obtain model shown to be effective in decreasing mortality, increasing satisfaction, and decreasing hospitalizations, ER visits, and use of resources.

**Deadline:** May 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**2. Implement pilot program**

**Progress:** Recruiting physician offices that wish to participate; discussions with BC/BS MedAdvantage medical director about obtaining funding for pilot; discussions with HealthInsight (which participated in evaluation of Hartford Grant) to determine whether it wishes to participate.

**Deadline:** December 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**3. Evaluate the effectiveness of the pilot program**

**Progress:** Currently working to assure that assessment tools will enable evaluation of the program.

**Deadline:** December 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**4. Work with HealthInsight and UHIN to assure that geriatric risk factors and appropriate triggers are included in electronic medical records used with the geriatric population**

**Progress:** Have had discussions with UHIN and HealthInsight about working on incorporating geriatric risk factors in EMR design.

**Deadline:** June 30, 2007

**Status:** On target to complete by due date.

**5. Support Community-Based Care Special Committee's efforts to explore the feasibility of (a) a one-stop web-based resource tool that will provide a comprehensive list of resources available to an aging individual that can be accessed by providers, caregivers, and aging individuals and (b) Aging Resource Center in collaboration with other Special Committees and existing agencies.**

**Status:** Monitoring progress and providing comment on plans.

### *Other:*

Called Utah's congressional offices to express concern over cuts in the Federal budget that will affect many programs affecting aging individuals, including funding for geriatric medical education and Medicaid.



**F. Quality of Life in Licensed Residential Settings**

***Complete:***

- 1. Explore the feasibility of developing and implementing a social marketing campaign to change the perception of aging, and make recommendations to the Commission about implementation**

**Progress:** See PR Special Committee Recommendation

**Deadline:** February 28, 2006

**Status:** Complete

- 2. Although it was not a committee deliverable, the Commission co-sponsored the screening of “Almost Home,” a film about culture change in a Wisconsin nursing home. Dr. Cherie Bruner led a discussion after the screening, with the filmmaker, Dr. Mark Supiano, Maureen Henry, Gary Kelso, chair of the Quality of Life Special Committee, and Mike Wood of the Alzheimers’ Association on the panel. 200 people attended the event. The film will be screened again at the Hale Theatre.**

**Status:** Complete

***In Progress:***

- 3. Work with UHCA, UALA, and HealthInsight to implement culture change programs.**

**Progress:** UHCA, UALA, and HealthInsight are represented on Committee. Discussions about where the Commission can add value continue.

**Deadline:** October 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

- 4. Work with industry organizations (UHCA and UALA) to develop a program for CNA professionalism and recognition**

**Progress:** Subcommittee has been formed to develop a program; first meeting is scheduled for next week.

**Deadline:** May 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

- 5. Implement program for CNA professionalism (NAGNA)**

**Progress:** First training was held in Cedar City last week. Will continue to promote and be involved in this process.

**Deadline:** November 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**Evaluate success of CNA program using outcome measures**

**Progress:** Subcommittee will develop an evaluation plan.

**Deadline:** June 30, 2007

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

- 6. Develop a pilot program for long-term care facilities designed to improve satisfaction of residents and employees through culture change; obtain waivers, and recruit 5 facilities for pilot (May 31, 2006)**

**Progress:** Working with private company that provides QI survey information to many of Utah's facilities to determine ways to assure satisfaction and to encourage culture change

**Deadline:** May 31, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**Implement pilot program and begin evaluation**

**Progress:** Will follow previous project.

**Deadline:** November 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**7. Evaluate pilot program**

**Progress:** Will follow completion of first stage.

**Deadline:** June 30, 2007

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**New Deliverable**

**8. Explore ways to promote CNA and Nursing careers with an emphasis in training for careers serving the aging population.**

**Progress:** Will discuss at upcoming meetings

**Deadline:** June 30, 2007

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**G. Healthy Aging**

**Complete:**

**1. Encourage Department of Workforce Services to consider health promotion in its Work Life awards.**

**Complete:** Health promotion is one of the factors considered in awarding Work Life Awards.

**In Progress:**

**1. Encourage all State of Utah Departments to adopt the Governor's Workwell recommendations and to evaluate changes in behavior after adoption of recommendations**

**Progress:** Meeting with Governor's office scheduled for March 7<sup>th</sup> to discuss Commission proposals, including Workwell Recommendations.

**Deadline:** September 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**2. Study Utah laws and policies and make recommendations for changes if current law, regulations, and policies fail to encourage or discourage healthy behaviors**

**Progress:** Working to recruit a graduate student to conduct a law and policy review in conjunction with Committee.

**Deadline:** November 30, 2006

**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

3. **Communicate with Envision Utah to explore ways to encourage healthy communities and to develop evidence-based models on how to improve the overall health of the community**  
**Progress:** Met with Envision Utah planner with an interest in planning for healthy living at the Department of Health Obesity Task Force. Discussed ways to work together. Also met with Envision Utah Executive Director and Planner to discuss where they are and where the Commission is. Envision Utah will make a presentation at the June Commission meeting.  
**Deadline:** May 31, 2006  
**Status:** Will know what opportunities for collaboration exist no later than June 2006 Commission meeting.
  
4. **Work with existing programs, such as PRIME at Dixie Regional Medical Center, to assure that programs are evaluating outcomes of efforts and developing best practice models that can be replicated in other communities**  
**Progress:** Met with Prime in January to discuss their program. Meeting will be followed up with communication between Becky Kapp and PRIME concerning the evaluation.  
**Deadline:** July 31, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.
  
5. **Determine whether there is a role for the Commission in linking existing programs with community organizations and make recommendations to the Commission about further projects.**  
**Progress:** Will discuss at March 8<sup>th</sup> meeting and will make follow-up recommendations at April's Commission meeting.  
**Deadline:** March 31, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

*New Deliverable*

1. **Encourage all businesses in Utah to adopt the Governor's Workwell recommendations.**  
**Progress:** We will address the issue of workplace health promotion at the next HR Director meeting scheduled for February 28<sup>th</sup>, and will begin to promote the Workwell Recommendations.  
**Deadline:** December 31, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

**H. Mental Health**

**In Progress:**

1. **Diagram the existing formal and informal system that explains mental health law, including guardianships and commitment process, the mental health system, and reimbursement under Medicaid and Medicare**  
**Progress:** Committee members have accepted assignments to pull together the different components for next meeting on March 16<sup>th</sup>.  
**Deadline:** April 30, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

- 2. Create a public-friendly guide and professional guide to mental health law, including guardianships and the commitment process, the mental health system, and reimbursement under Medicaid and Medicare.**  
**Progress:** Will begin work on this guide after the system diagram is complete.  
**Deadline:** December 31, 2006  
**Status:** Awaiting necessary precursor.
- 3. Conduct a retrospective study of where the mentally ill elderly go (June 30, 2007)**  
**Progress:** Outlined categories of illness and care settings and identified potential information sources. Committee members will collect existing data prior to meeting in March to determine whether further research is necessary.  
**Deadline:** December 31, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.
- 4. Determine how much underinsured/uninsured patients cost the state for mental health care.**  
**Progress:** Will address after completing assessment of where the mentally-ill elderly go.  
**Deadline:** June 30, 2007  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.
- 5. Develop a system for mental health care that is patient-focused.**  
**Progress:** Will address after completing assessment of where the mentally-ill elderly go.  
**Deadline:** June 30, 2007  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.
- 6. Determine the best way to conduct a comprehensive review/revision of the mental health, guardianship, and proxy decisionmaking codes; consider whether Commission should request a Governor's Task Force to conduct this review; initial step: review the 3 different definitions of capacity found in Utah law and determine whether there are reasons for the differences**  
**Progress:** Lori Gawf will outline a process for conducting a review that she will present at March 16<sup>th</sup> meeting.  
**Deadline:** April 30, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.
- 7. Consider feasibility of live presentations around the state on the mental health system modeled on the Medicare D training by DAAS**  
**Progress:** Will address at an upcoming meeting  
**Deadline:** August 31, 2006  
**Status:** On track to complete by deadline.

## Work Groups

**A. Public Safety**

- 1. Review and make recommendations for legislative changes concerning driver's licenses for aging individuals.**

**Progress:** Sergeant Royce of DPS is looking into current status of who can request a driver retest. At meeting on March 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will discuss possible changes to the law.

- 2. Look at ways to reduce financial exploitation, including training of law enforcement and prosecutors and educating the public.**

**Progress:** Commission has obtained a grant from AARP for a full-day training on prosecuting and investigating financial exploitation cases. Taylorsville Police Department will co-sponsor the training. The training will take place in June 2006.

**B. Transportation**

- 1. Work Group is looking at ways to assure that the transportation infrastructure addresses the needs of aging drivers.**

**Progress:** Maureen met with chair of Washington County Metropolitan Planning Organization to discuss how Washington County is anticipating the needs of aging drivers. A meeting is scheduled with Wasatch Front Regional Council on February 22. Also have identified national experts on transportation infrastructure and aging drivers and are asking the Utah League of Cities and Towns for a break-out or plenary session at September's meeting to raise the issue of how changing the infrastructure can help to reduce highway deaths of older drivers.

- 2. Work Group will explore how to provide alternative transportation options for aging drivers.**

**C. Housing**

- 1. Meeting scheduled for Feb 21<sup>st</sup> with local low-income housing experts to discuss senior housing needs.**

**D. Volunteerism**

- 1. Meeting scheduled for March 1<sup>st</sup> with those working with volunteers in Davis County to discuss working within Davis County to assess and increase senior volunteerism. Meetings have already been held with Commissioner Danny McConkie, Dwight Adams, and Bob Schrank to assess interest. Looking at using "Civic Ventures" model to increase meaningful opportunities for seniors.**

**E. Public Relations**

- 1. Recommend formation of special committee**
- 2. Implement a speakers bureau, PR efforts(see #3), and continue to explore ways to address the need for a change in how the public views aging.**

**Deadline:** Ongoing through June 30, 2007.

**3. To increase awareness of aging issues and work being done by the Commission.**

**Progress:** Meeting scheduled with Deseret News editorial board; working to schedule meeting with Salt Lake Tribune; met with LDS Church Office of Public Affairs regarding distribution of caregiver support materials; made contact with reporter at the Spectrum. Telephone notifications and press release from CareSource regarding release of data at Feb 17<sup>th</sup> Commission meeting. Maureen was interviewed live on KSL Radio after the last Commission meeting on aging issues in Utah.

**4. Consider feasibility of a social marketing campaign to inform the public about aging.**

**Progress:** Met with Tracy Crowell of Crowell Advertising, Marketing, and Public Relations to discuss feasibility of a social marketing campaign. Social marketing campaign designed to increase the level of respect for older persons would be best undertaken as a grassroots effort undertaken under an extended period of time. Components of an effective social marketing campaign could be implemented independently and would result in some shift in thinking.

**E. Employer Working Group**

HR directors from various large employers, SHRM, and the Employer's Council continue to meet. At January meeting we discussed savings through Utah Saves and promoting savings for retirement and caregiver support in the workplace. One employer volunteered to serve as a pilot site for caregiver support in the workplace. At the meeting scheduled for February, we will discuss health promotion in the workplace.

We will continue to meet with this group to explore opportunities for interaction and seek advice, input, and information.

**F. Economic Development**

Maureen met with Lecia Langston, DWS Economist, in St. George to discuss how the aging population affects the economics of Washington County. We continue to collect information to explain the economic impact of the aging population on local economies in Utah.

**G. Aging Individuals Under the Supervision of the Department of Corrections**

**See report.**

**Other**

Maureen presented to the Human Resources Council of Washington County in St. George. She collected information from those present, and gave an overview of the Commission.

# Utah Commission on Aging Special Committees

February 15, 2006

\*\* Indicates member addition since last Commission on Aging meeting

## Financial Security

- Rob Ence - Chair
- Kent Alderman
- Becky Allred
- Mark Barlage
- TantaLisa Clayton
- Darin Jones
- Michael Jones
- Pat Jones
- Charlene Long
- Larry Marx
- Roland Nebeker
- Jerilyn Stowe
- Gail Tuohig
- Vicki Tuua
- Mark Weeks

## Community-Based Care and Services

- Lynn Samsel - Chair
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- Tonya Keller
- Joette Langianese
- Peggy Matlin
- Leticia Medina
- Shauna O'Neil
- Karmen Sanone
- Ellen Silver
- Sara Sinclair
- Helen Thatcher
- Tammy Wood
- Sonnie Yudell \*\*
- Peter Hebertson \*\*
- Natalie Moyle \*\*

## Caregiver Support

- Nancy Stallings - Chair
- Teresa Dieringer
- Jilene Gunther
- Norma Matheson
- Donna Russell
- Karen Sanone
- Sonnie Yudell
- Michelle Benson \*\*

## Education

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- Jilene Gunther
- Suzette Hudson
- Anne Peterson
- Denise Brooks
- Brad Butler \*\*
- Cathy House \*\*
- Autum Thatcher \*\*
- Elizabeth Fauth \*\*
- Jana Darrington \*\*
- Kristie McMullin \*\*

## Healthy Aging

- Becky Kapp - Chair
- Bonnie Athas
- William Cox
- Rob Ence
- Carolyn Hunter
- LaDene Larson
- Dee Dee Lobato
- Anne Peterson
- Bob Schrank
- Sara Sinclair
- Sonnie Yudell

## Improving the Quality of Life in Residential Settings

- Gary Kelso – Chair
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- TantaLisa Clayton
- AnnaMarie Fouad
- Peter Hebertson
- Brian Heugly (Carmen Richins)
- Tonya Keller
- Stan Magleby
- Lori Porter
- Juliana Preston
- Scott Wright

## **Healthcare**

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- Pat Berry
- Cherie Bruncker
- Gina Coccimiglio
- William Cox
- Mark DeSt.Aubin
- Rob Ence
- Elizabeth Fauth
- Nina Ferrell
- Norman Foster
- Fred Gottlieb
- Margaret Hecht
- Tonya Keller
- Joette Langianese
- Karen Mara
- Laura Polacheck
- Kelli Polcha
- Yvonne Sehy
- Mark. Supiano
- Iona Tharen
- Melissa Zito

## **Mental Health**

- Nina Ferrell - Chair
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- Lori Gawf
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- Amanda Lambert
- Ginny Pepper
- Ron Stromberg
- Natalie Thornley
- Norman Foster \*\*
- Elizabeth Fauth \*\*



# Utah Commission on Aging Work Groups

February 15, 2006

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## Transportation

- Bill Cox - Chair
- Becky Allred
- TantaLisa Clayton
- Sheldon Elman
- Rob Ence
- Leone Harwood
- Robert Schrank

## Public Safety

- Larry Marx - Chair
- Ken Baldrige
- TantaLisa Clayton
- Todd Royce
- Bob Schrank
- Diane Stewart
- Scott Wright

## Volunteerism

- Lorna Koci – Chair \*\*
- Bob Schrank \*\*
- Dwight Adams \*\*
- Anna Marie Fouad \*\*

## Housing

- Lorna Koci – Chair \*\*
- Bill Hunt \*\*
- Anna Maria Fouad \*\*

## Public Relations

- Lorna Koci – Chair \*\*
- Tracy Crowell \*\*
- Anna Maria Fouad \*\*
- Bill Hunt \*\*
- Pat Jones \*\*
- Maureen Henry \*\*

## Employers

- Scott Allen
- Delora Bertelson
- Gerald Besinger
- Julianne Burns
- TantaLisa Clayton
- Candace Daly
- Janice Evans
- Nels Holmgren
- Mary Ann Holladay
- Paul Jackson
- Darin Jones
- Mel Miles
- Steve Ostler
- Ellen Reddick
- Donna Russell
- Kent Streuling
- Helen Thatcher
- Cathy Tipton
- Susan Weaver
- Jim West
- Scott Wright
- Doug Younker
- Sonnie Yuldel

