**COUNCIL ON AGING BOARD**

**Minutes July 10, 2023**

**10:30 a.m.**

**Members Present:** Chair Nancy Butler, Cindy Bloomquist, Geri Cellini, Inez Murphy.

**Members Absent:** Dottie Martel

**Friends of COA Present:** Geri Cellini, Cindy Bloomquist, Helen Reynolds

**Guests:** 0

**Staff**  **Present:**  Colleen Thompson

**1. Opening:** Chair Nancy Butler opened the meeting at 10:35 a.m.

**2. Minutes:** June minutes were approved as written.

**3. Reports:**

1. Business and Director's Report: Colleen Thompson
2. Warrants: May $1,934.31, June $613.47
3. Pantry served 37 people, 23 households (6 new)
4. Chair Hip Hop is scheduled for July 31st at the church.
5. John Sjostedt and the fire department crew were our hosts as we explored parts of the Myles Standish State Park. A brief history of the care and prevention of forest fires was presented by Micheal Marquardt. A barbeque followed.
6. Our next event will be on August 9th at the Upland Club. The club will be grilling chicken and serving potato salad and corn on the cob. Entertainment by Aidan Keene.
7. Pie and Sandwich Luncheon will be October 4th at the church. We might consider a pie auction. Entertainment by Dave and Marcia Burbank.
8. Friends of the COA: Total is $5,662.09
9. OCES: No report available and it was suggested that Zoom might be used

**4. Other Discussion:**  None

Next meeting will be August 14, 2023.

Meeting adjourned at 11:35 a.m.

Minutes taken by Geri Cellini and transformed by COA staff.