

Age-Friendly Sullivan Minutes, Wednesday, January 5, 2022, 9a-10a, Sullivan Town Office

	Topic	Discussion	Action
8:30am	Refreshments / Social	Stacy, Candy, Nadine, Don, Jeanne, Diana Gazis, Christina, Regrets: Andrea, Durin, Cynthia, Terry, Mary Lou	
9am	Stacy Tozier, Town Manager	Town Updates: RFP revaluation; RFP demo Hastings House; new electronic sign; 5 candidates petition (Bethany Leavitt, Bud Reginald Means, Becky Sutherland, Gerald Erbs, Kristal Bubar) residents may sign as many petitions as desired, min 25 signatures registered voters, due 4pm Monday 1/10/21 - bios in Town Crier(?)/ website online or in office, voting on 2/14/21, 30 days absentee prior, Town Crier returns February 2022, Angel Tree 10-12 kids, 43 adults (15M, 28F), residents extremely heartfelt grateful, Speed trailer/sign,	Sand Bucket: Nancy Roberts, 130 Bert Gray Road,
	Funding & Finance:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AARP Maine: \$1000 reprinting Resource Guide & tote bags Other: \$1000 Meeting Wizard (learn end Feb)	
	Community Organization Updates:	Frenchman Bay Library: hired new librarian Gary Bushee, no new books since September, supply chain issues, fund-raiser - 1st w/e February, open by appointment, book room is open for donations, on-going food drive, delivered food baskets in Nov/Dec, also deliveries in Jan/Feb? Sorrento-Sullivan Historical Society; Online ZOOM history hours 1/26th - Sorrento 7pm, only have Raina until September; lot of requests - who on Board can answer requests, always open by appt., research family files (especially older families). Sullivan-Sorrento Recreation Center: Emergency planning; Stacy to provide Don with draft emergency plan; haven't met since September, working with Gary Edwards to re-key building, security, lights, smoke detectors - expand security system to playground, motion detectors/lights	Food Pantry Needs: pasta, sauce, protein (tuna, PB), Access to downstairs, ADA access downstairs.
	Current Discussion & Project Updates:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Walking Trail - new owner of Barbee Construction, Terry Cusick & Cynthia Perkins want to join committee ○ Window Dressers (Kit Lane / Mary Lou Barker liaison) ○ Schoodic Roadside Clean-up - yes - Rob chair ○ Community Events at the Gazebo - Rob to continue 	

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<p>Next meeting ZOOM</p>	<p>9am February 2, 2022: Understanding Alzheimer's & Dementia. Join volunteer community educator of the Alzheimer’s Association, Anne Romney, as she provides the basic information on the difference between Alzheimer’s and dementia, stages, risk factors, research, FDA Approved treatments, and more.</p>	