

# SHASTA COUNTY COMMISSION ON AGING

Minutes for November 21, 2014 Shasta County Administration Center-Room 311

**Call to Order:** 10:00 AM

**Agenda Changes:** NONE

**Commissioners Present:** Chair Janet Tyrrel, Mana Davis, Betty Harrison Smith, Marlene Batterton Lewis and Tom Watson. Also present from Shasta County Clerical was Lisa Fisher.

**Introductions:** Guests present were Murray Blake representing PSA II and Guest Speaker Peggy Lee from Legal Services of Northern California.

**Public Comment:** Murray Blake, with the PSA II advisory council, spoke about how that organization is benefiting the seniors in our area. PSA II covers 23,000 square miles with Senior Nutrition, Golden Umbrella, Legal Services, HICAP and other programs for seniors.

**Speaker:** Peggy Lee, with Legal Services of Northern California in Redding, spoke about the services they offer to seniors in Shasta, Trinity, Lassen, Modoc and Siskiyou counties.

**Acceptance of October Minutes:** Motion to approve-Betty Harrison Smith, Second-Tom Watson, Motion Carried.

**Correspondence:** None

**Old Business:**

- a. Website Update: Anna Champe not present.
- b. Suggestions for speakers for meetings: December-Marlene will possibly get Linda from Simpson University.  
January- Mana invited Teri from PSA II.
- c. Medical advocacy update: Sounds like Simpson will not have any students to help with this.
- d. Celebrity Soup Kitchen basket: Janet shared photos from the event.

**New Business:**

- a. Replacement of Commissioner for District 4: Bill Schappell is working on it.
- b. Other: NONE

**Commissioners Reports:**

1. Mana reports that the Meals on Wheels program waiting list is down to only 10. YEAH!
2. Tom reports that the Burney area is preparing for winter and the probable power outages. He is also working with Golden Umbrella to try to identify people as candidates for the Nursing Home to Home program.

**Adjournment:** 11:25 AM

**Next Meeting:** December 19, 2014