

**CITY OF SOUTH JORDAN**  
**SENIOR ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES**  
**SOUTH JORDAN COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**10778 S. REDWOOD ROAD, SOUTH JORDAN, UT – ROOM #127**  
**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 2025 at 11:00 a.m.**



Notice is hereby given that the South Jordan Senior Advisory Committee will hold a Meeting at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, September 29, 2025, in person at the South Jordan Community Center in room 127, located at 10778 S. Redwood Road, South Jordan, Utah and virtually via Zoom phone and video conferencing. Persons with disabilities requesting assistance should contact the Community Center staff at least 24 hours prior to the Meeting. Times listed are approximate and may be accelerated or delayed.

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**Minutes are as follows:**

“The South Jordan Senior Advisory Committee is dedicated to helping promote the interests of older adults and caregivers in the community by partnering with Senior Programs to provide a creative and informational environment where older adults can engage in social activities, by sustaining and improving the quality of health, well-being and safety and supporting the fulfillment of older adult needs in the community.”

**Attended: LeeAnne Whitaker, Billie Lawrence, Midge Treglown, Erie Walker, Linda Walker, Kaye Wadley, Councilmember Don Shelton, Jamie Anderson**

**Absent: Carrie Jansky, Janell Payne**

**1. Meeting brought to order at: 11:05 a.m.**

- a. Motion to bring the meeting to order by whom: Lunda Walker
- b. Seconded: Erie Walker

## 2. Welcome:

- a. This is an open meeting and is being recorded

## 3. Review minutes from previous meetings:

- a. Motion to approve August 25, 2025 minutes by whom: Midge Treglown
- b. Seconded: Billie Lawrence

## 4. City Council Meeting Reports:

- a. Committee report for City Council Meeting
  - i. September Meeting: *(By Kaye)*: The controversial dental office was discussed and ultimately approved to be built. Kaye was impressed with how the council handled the situation, what questions were asked and that the meeting was opened with prayer.
- b. City Council report: *(By Councilmember Shelton)*: Commented about how the meetings are usually very civil. Shared a story that communicated how residents do not feel passionately about big transactions and budget approvals that are important items to discuss but if you mess with their homes or neighborhoods, then they will all show up in droves to council meetings and speak very passionately and emotionally. It took a long time to come up with an answer about the dental office so that they could address every question that was asked from everyone involved. He was not able to give us any more information about the senior center but was able to answer why they couldn't remodel the existing center. This is because a large portion of the cost of the new center is being covered by the developer and not using city tax dollars. Another is that the current building is shared and the new center will offer more space and scheduling options that do not have to consider outside programming. They met with the Police and Fire about wages as they are competing with other cities who are increasing wages. They are working diligently to get city employees raises.
- c. Director report: no report this week, Janell absent

## 5. Old Business:

- a. FY25-26 Focus page follow up.
  - i. What feedback does the committee have about the events they would like to support this fiscal year?
    1. The committee discussed doing a boutique where patrons sell their crafts during the Valentine lunch instead of the dollar store items that we have provided in the past. We ended up deciding to look at the list quarterly
- b. Report on the SLCo Aging Nutrition Council that was on Wed. Sept 24 at 9:30 AM *(By Jamie)*: Jamie attended over zoom. The committee meets to make sure the lunch program is working smoothly. They have added several new meals on the menu in October and they would like to know what the response is. As a committee Jamie asked them to give feedback and pay attention to what people are saying about the meals because most people hate filling out surveys.

- c. Newsletter delivery. Hand out updated list with map. Billie and Midge will do it together for October and November. Billie suggested getting a volunteer to take over. Jamie will talk to them. Garden Park in Daybreak has been taken off the list. Jamie will still deliver to Garden Park.
- d. Senior Art Show review.
  - i. 1<sup>st</sup> prize in 2D & 3D, Mayors Choice 2D & 3D, People's Choice overall each winning \$50
  - ii. Feedback on reception:
    - 1. Due to confusion on the time, we decided that 6-7 PM would be sufficient. Jamie will also communicate to the artist more efficiently on when the reception is. Linda suggested putting a sticker up on the "special" ribbons what they won. There were about 20 at the reception.
- e. Generation Day review:
  - i. Lunch attendance: 120 meals served
  - ii. Sock Hop: 6 attended, will revisit if this should be continued.
  - iii. Feedback? Cancel the sock hop for the future. There is a lot going on that particular day. Would like to grow "Generation Day" because it is unique and has the potential to be very important by confronting age discrimination in a positive way. Erie suggested having a band to watch that plays different decades of music.
- f. Patriotic Lunch Review
  - i. LeeAnne spoke
  - ii. attendance: 90 meals served
  - iii. Feedback: There were very positive comments about LeeAnne's speech.
- g. Fall Banquet review
  - i. Discussion about the number of prizes that we collect. (*By Billie*): Collected a lot of door prizes that were high dollar items. It was difficult to pull prizes so that we had the exact number of prizes to give out. The extra prizes were given out at the health fair the next week.
  - ii. Purchased Mums for: \$123.64
  - iii. Lunch: 179 meals served (40 extra meals) 139 people
  - iv. Feedback: Kaye suggested not focusing on getting a prize for every household. A lot of the big prizes were awarded to people who did not particularly care about them. Don pointed out that since we have created a pattern that everyone gets something, then people will expect it and be disappointed if it changes. Another suggestion is that we bring back prizes for the Spring Banquet but only around 20 nice prizes. This item was tabled and will be discussed further next meeting where we can decide to change the door prize situation.
- h. Health & Wellness Fair review
  - i. attendance: 115-about the same last year
  - ii. bags were a hit
  - iii. Lunch: 100 meals served
  - iv. Feedback: Have it end at 1:00 instead of 2:00 p.m. Billie suggested having a tear off portion on the vendor signature cards to enter into the actual drawing.

## 6. New Business:

- a. Discuss a fall clothing exchange. It usually is in August, but got missed this year. It was decided to skip the fall clothing exchange and have it in April 2026.
- b. Discuss adding an ESL class to Senior Programs. LeeAnne suggested this for the patrons who come who speak very little English. We would love to offer an ESL class, asked the committee to help find an instructor. Jamie will ask Sam in recreation if she would be interested or able.
- c. Erie asked about a meeting for senior center managers. Jamie was open to starting one and hosting the first one discussing ideas, strengths, weaknesses, and how to support each other and out patrons.
- d. 4<sup>th</sup> quarter events:
  - i. Oktoberfest | Thursday, October 2, 2025 | 11:30 AM | entertainment Rick Schwemmer (the committee supported with money from last fiscal year) | will have a root beer garden. Would the committee like to help serve? Erie & Linda will be our “bartenders”. Will have a competition of the most popular root beer and then have root beer floats the next day for lunch.
  - ii. Pumpkin Promenade | Friday, October 24 | Senior Programs providing a trip | does the committee want to be involved? It is being held at Bingham Creek Park. It is an opportunity to be part of a city event. The committee declined volunteering but will participate on the trip.
  - iii. Halloween Dance Party | Friday, Oct 31 | 11:00 AM | optional for the committee
  - iv. Adopt a Native Elder | November | promote a fundraiser for food boxes for our sponsored Native American | Does the committee want to be involved? This is something we have done for several years where we raise enough money to send 2 food boxes to support a specific Native American with resources and food for the year. We will continue to do what we have done in the past and the committee will not provide extra support.
  - v. Veterans Lunch | Monday, November 10 | 11:30 AM | LeeAnne found a speaker, Larry Mullins who is retired from the NCIS and Marines.
  - vi. Thanksgiving Banquet | Wed. November 19 | 11:30 AM Bingo at 12:30 PM | would the committee like to sponsor Bingo? Yes, the committee will sponsor Bingo. A frozen turkey is blackout.
  - vii. Light the Night | Fri. December 5 | 6 PM | would the committee like to volunteer? Yes, they would like to volunteer time. Jamie will let Natalie, the events supervisor, know that they are available. Billie, Erie, Linda, Midge, & Kaye will volunteer.
  - viii. Holiday Banquet | Wed. December 17 | 11:00 AM Bingo at 12:30 PM | it is early due to Deci’ Belles performance | the committee needs to decide on a pocket calendar. They would like to offer calendars again this year and would like to get green and gold. Will stick with the same number to order and will email the committee what they look like.
  - ix. Noon Year’s Eve Party | Wed. December 31 | 11:00 AM Bingo at 12:30 PM

## **7. Budget Report:**

- a. Starting amount: FY 25-26: \$3500; current balance \$2815.02
  - i. approved expenses (included in current amount above):
    1. \$564.98 health fair bags
    2. \$120 birthday coupons
  - ii. needed approvals (not included above):
    1. Fall Banquet Mums: \$123.64-approved
    2. Missed putting the cookies for the artist reception on here. Jamie will look it up and add to next month's agenda
  - iii. approved amounts for pending events (not included above):
    1. Thanksgiving Banquet prizes: up to \$70 plus a frozen Turkey. Billie & Jamie will go shopping

## **8. Assigned Tasks:**

- a. Next meeting scheduled for Monday, October 27, 2025 at 11:00 AM
- b. October 7 or 21 City Council Meeting: Billie Lawrence
- c. November 18 City Council Meeting: Midge Treglown
- d. December 2 City Council Meeting: will not attend

## **9. Meeting Adjourned at: 12:35 p.m.**

- a. By Whom: Billie Lawrence
- b. Seconded: Kaye Wadley