



# Macomb County Board of Commissioners

## OLDER ADULT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

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### 2024 First Quarter Report

#### Meetings

- 3 total - January, February, March
- Members in attendance for the January meeting held informal discussion on agenda items due to lack of a quorum
  - Agenda items forwarded to the February 27, 2024 meeting
- Meetings held at the Macomb County Administration Building
- Improved discussion and participation during meetings by moving the meeting room location to a smaller room setup

#### Highlights

- Reviewed and discussed Macomb County Board of Commissioners Resolution No. 17-500: Resolution Establishing Macomb County Older Adult Advisory Committee (amended through Resolution R18-1477 adopted April 25, 2018)
  - Discussed purpose and function of the OAAC
  - Discussed ideas for yearly goals
  - Suggested presentation ideas to help meet purpose/function/goals
- Created OAAC Mission Statement (pending adoption)
- Adopted an Action Item Tracker for tracking the progress of items under consideration

#### Committee Function

- Relative to its function, as stated in Resolution 17-500, 3.A.2, the OAAC:
  - Received information from Macomb Organization for Retiree Enrichment (MORE) regarding opportunities for seniors
    - MORE is a lifelong learning initiative of Macomb Community college which offers noncredit courses dedicated to enhancing senior lifestyles
      - Provides focus areas for free time
      - Offers intellectual stimulation through classes that provide education and/or entertainment
      - Options for those out of town or homebound
      - Easily accessible opportunities for group outings
      - Social networking

#### Commissioner Barbara Zinner - Older Adult Advisory Committee Chair

District 1 – Tom Matthews  
District 2 – Vacant  
District 3 – Philip Randazzo  
District 4 – Kathy Western  
District 5 – Barbara VanSyckel  
District 6 – Moira Smith

District 7 – Marcia Relyea  
District 8 – Joe Silbernagel  
District 9 – Jennifer Hammel  
District 10 – Carol Weidenbach  
District 11 – Carole Wiseman  
District 12 – Suzanne Ostosh

District 13 – Betty Bishop  
At-Large – Rochelle Fuqua  
At-Large – Vito Pianello  
At-Large – Carol Thompson  
At-Large – Vacant