

Town of Miami Lakes: Elderly Affairs Committee Report to the Town Council (Draft 2016 to 2017)

MISSION STATEMENT: To improve the quality of life for the elderly resident of Town of Miami Lakes through engaged and active support of our seniors.

MEMBERSHIP:

Name	Committee Position	Nominated by:
Aida McCarthy	Member	Councilman Caesar Mestre
Mayra Poldo	Member	Councilman Caesar Mestre
OPEN	OPEN	Councilman Caesar Mestre
Dave Oliver	Vice Chair	Councilman Frank Mingo
OPEN	OPEN	Councilman Frank Mingo
Alexandra Alonso	Chair	Councilman Frank Mingo
OPEN	OPEN	Councilman Nelson Rodriguez
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Arnold Edmundson	Member	Councilman Tim Daubert
Miriam Duman	Member	Councilman Tim Daubert
Sarah Suarez	Member	Councilman Tim Daubert
Alex Ariano	Member	Councilman Tony Lama
OPEN	OPEN	Councilman Tony Lama
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OPEN	OPEN	Mayor Michael Pizzi
OPEN	OPEN	Mayor Michael Pizzi
Marie Deming	Member	Mayor Michael Pizzi
Dottie Wix	Member	Vice Mayor Manny Cid
Nancy Rogers	Secretary	Vice Mayor Manny Cid
Nell Edmundson	Member	Vice Mayor Manny Cid

NOTE: *There are many open positions currently on our Committee. Chair will work together with Town Council representatives to fill positions.*

BUDGET 2016-2017: \$39,000

SCHEDULED EVENTS:

Event	Date	Budget	Attendance
Fairchild Tropical Gardens (Trip)	November 1, 2016	\$500	40 attendees
Senior Thanksgiving Luncheon	November 16, 2016	\$1500	75 attendees
Gulfstream Track & Casino (Trip)	December 1, 2016	\$500	60 projection
Holiday Social	December 10, 2016	\$3800	200 projection
Healthy Eating Demo	January 14, 2017	\$500	60 projection
Fruit & Spice Park (Trip)	January 18, 2017	\$500	60 projection
Health Fair	February 4, 2017	\$500	200 projection
Zoo Miami (Trip)	February 7, 2017	\$500\$500	60 projection
Legal Forum	February 25, 2017	\$1000	80 projection
History Miami Museum	March 11, 2017	\$500	60 projection
St. Patrick's Day Social	March 18, 2017	\$3800	200 projection
Favorite Decade Social	April 2017 (TBD)	\$3800	200 projection

Senior Appreciation Day Social	May 6, 2017	\$3800	200 projection
Marlins Senior Day Trip	May 2017 (TBD)	\$450.00/\$1000 in kind (donation)	60 projection
Meet & Eat Bingo	June 14, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Meet & Eat Bingo	June 28, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Marlins Senior Day Trip	June 2017 (TBD)	\$450.00/\$1000 in kind (donation)	60 projection
Meet & Eat Bingo	July 12, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Meet & Eat Bingo	July 26, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Marlins Senior Day Trip	July 2017 (TBD)	\$450.00/\$1000 in kind (donation)	60 projection
Meet & Eat Bingo	August 9, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Meet & Eat Bingo	August 23, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Marlins Senior Day Trip	August 2017 (TBD)	\$450.00/\$1000 in kind (donation)	60 projection
Legal Forum	September 9, 2017	\$1000	60 projection
Meet & Eat Bingo	September 13, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Meet & Eat Bingo	September 27, 2017	\$500/\$500 in kind donation	70-80
Marlins Senior Day Trip	September 2017 (TBD)	\$450.00/\$1000 in kind (donation)	60 projection

FUTURE PROJECTS/CONSIDERATION:

- The Town of Miami Lakes Elderly Affairs Committee will be working with local established Alzheimer’s groups to promote more Alzheimer’s Awareness groups in forum formats within the Town of Miami Lakes.
- The Town of Miami Lakes Elderly Affairs Committee recommend to the Town Manager, and the Town Council to explore more Public Transportation methods for our town residents such as STS which offers a timely schedule for transportation according to reservations.
- The Town Of Miami Lakes Elderly Affairs Committee encourage the Town of Miami Lakes to continue to leverage its relationship with the Department of Elder Affairs, which provides for additional grant funds awarded to our community for new and innovative programs which enhance the lives of our Seniors.

Respectfully submitted

Alexandra C. Alonso, Chairperson, on behalf of the Town of Miami Lakes Elderly Affairs Committee