

Seniors Advisory Committee Working Group

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Present: Erika Johanson, Mia Pedersen, Syed Ahmed, George Scott, Sue McIntosh and Kathy McIntyre
(Pat Petralla unable to attend)

Purpose: The purpose of this working group was to assemble a list of priority action items for review by the committee and eventual recommendation for action to City Council. We used the synopsis of the SWOT work we did last year plus a number of other suggestions that have been made recently. The following is a list of our recommended priority items for the committee's review.

Category	Issues
Communication	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health and well being awareness
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Follow up on sustainment of 'age friendly' designation. See if 'dementia friendly' requirements are being met
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Follow up on brochure with resource information to be included in 'guide'
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consider using community TV for seniors information, education, service availability etc
Infrastructure	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Consider 'seniors bus' like in Delta and N.Van
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Keep open communication with Housing task group to ensure seniors needs are being met. Provide input as required
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Look at reduced or waived fees for parks and rec for seniors.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Capitalize on collaboration between agencies, in support of seniors, that has occurred during Covid to encourage sustainment
Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evaluation of safety site lines at City intersections and areas of concern
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Education for users of motorized mobility devices
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bike/sidewalk safety education
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evaluation of City walkability
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Invite "Hidden mobility/Disability Alliance to a committee meeting