



COUNCIL ON AGING
IN PERSON & REMOTE HYBRID MEETING
2nd FLOOR CONFERENCE ROOM
ROSE BAKER CENTER FOR AGING WELL
6 Manuel F. Lewis Street
Wednesday, October 7, 2026
9:30 a.m.

The public is welcome to attend in person

Zoom link to access the meeting remotely is also available.

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AGENDA

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Public Oral Communication for non-agenda items (3 minutes per person)
3. Approval of Minutes: September 2, 2026
4. Rebranding of the Rose Baker Center
5. Gloucester Health Department – Dominique
6. YMCA at Gloucester Crossing – Erina
7. Cape Ann Transportation Authority – Felicia

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8. Old Business

Remote Programming – Magnolia, Lanesville

Development of Social Media Presence – Suzanne
Intern to run more social media postings?

9. Program Developments

Remote Programming – Other

Congregate Meals Program

Rose Baker Center's Ambassador Service Bus

Seniors-on-the-Go Bus

Development: An ongoing program of techniques to detect fraud.
Mimecast internet safety modules - Susan

10. Director's Report

11. New Business

12. Building & Grounds

Installation of a Silent Alarm System

Awesome Gloucester for a mural: Parking Lot Outside Wall

Beautification of Manuel F. Lewis Street Forecourt
Smoking Restriction - sign
Generous Gardeners

Generator –
Equipped with an Exerciser Program?
Alarms on the generator?

Replace Failing Obsolete Windows

13. DPW Projects: Direction: Michael Hale

Improve access and egress to, from, and in the building:

Powered doors to All Bathrooms – Grant funded?

Main Entrance: ADA hinged doors to echo 71 Middle St.

14. IT Projects:

Increase outdoor security lighting.

Install Security Cameras

Wireless Monitor for Security Cameras?

15. Items for Next Agenda – Concerns of Board Members

Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, November 4, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

16. Tabled Items

Design and prepare a Materials List to soundproof & bisect the Great Hall

FriendshipWorks - Working Group

Discussion: Northern Essex Elder Transport, Inc.

Executive Director: Dori Sawyer

Transportation Service for Running Errands

Values Statement for the Council on Aging

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