

COA ADVISORY BOARD
Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, June 3, 2025 – 9:00 am
1609 Park Drive – Main Conference Room

1. **CALL TO ORDER** - Lana Payne, Chair
2. **ROLL CALL** – Renee Woessner, Office Manager
3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
 - Approval of minutes for the April 1, 2025 COA Advisory Board meeting
5. **INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS/LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT**
6. **SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS**
7. **OLD BUSINESS**
 - GTCOA Staffing Updates
 - LPN – no need to hire new LPN
 - HMA New Hires/Challenges
 - Program Coordinator/Specialist
 - In-Person Staff meeting scheduled for June 19th 8am-Noon
 - Generational Training
 - Dementia Caregiver Training
 - 50th Anniversary Celebration – Pizza lunch & prizes
 - Personal Vehicle Allowances
 - Email from Andy Hoort
 - Other COAs
 - Tiered Reimbursements
 - COA 2025 Fee for Services Scale
 - Review proposed changes
 - Project Alpha Update
 - Senior Housing Exchange update
 - Senior Project Fresh 2025
 - COA Mission Statement – Update?
 - *The mission of the Grand Traverse County Commission on Aging is to offer home and community-based services to maintain and improve the quality of life for resident senior citizens.*

- COA Staff Training
 - Universal Aides – mobility and exercise training, Northbound Physical Therapy was very successful (April 23rd)
 - Legal Service of Northern MI (Legal Aide) presentation
 - HMA/UA – housecleaning training with Comfort Keepers

8. **NEW BUSINESS**

- 2026 Budget Considerations
 - General Fund/memo from Nate Alger
 - Capital Requests
- 2026 Contracts
 - Medsys (Software)
 - Connect America (Personal Emergency Response Systems)
 - Meals on Wheels/NMCAA

9. **GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT** (3 minutes per person)

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

Minutes available by contacting the Grand Traverse County Commission on Aging office by phone at (231) 922-4688 or by mail at the address listed above.