

**Canton Council on Aging
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Canton, Ma 02021
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Council on Aging Board Meeting

The Canton Council on Aging will hold its next meeting 3/6/2017 at 2:00PM

**The Canton Senior Center
500 Pleasant Street
Canton, Ma 02021 at 2:00PM**

1. Attendance
2. Acceptance of February draft minutes
3. Public comment
4. Director's Report
 - Review & discussion of March Newsletter and new events for the month (see attachment 1)
 - Senior Tax Program
 - Municipal budget
 - Paint
 - March 23, 2017 – Reminder of Lamplighter event
 - Outreach:

-Self-Help, INC Fuel Assistance Applications have been here and there due to mild winter however we have had an increase in Good Neighbor Energy Applications thru Salvation Army for those who are over income for Self-Help, INC. Fuel Assistance Program.

-There has been an increase in SNAP Applications for seniors and disabled folks-work with DTA exclusively.

-Many inquiries regarding MASS HEALTH for SHINE

-We have assisted with Senior Housing Applications-Many inquiries about LTC/Assisted Living

-Medical Equipment for folks comes and goes every day.

-Friendly Visitor Program has been steady-may be the winter as there has been a decline in volunteer applicants.

- **Statistics.....** Review of what was presented to the Selectmen and Finance Committee (see attachment 2)

4. Old/New Business – 1) John Friel presentation to the Board

5. Trip Report

6 HESSCO Report

7. Adjournment