



**CITIZENS ADVISORY COUNCIL for GREENE COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT for the AGING PICNIC  
w/RSVP JULY 8, 2014**

**ROLL CALL:**

Greene County  
Department for the Aging

411 Main Street, Suite 247  
Catskill, New York 12414

Name	RSVP
Beechert, Phyllis	Yes
Bentley, Connie	Yes
Black, Michelle	No
Brunner, Lynn	Yes
Gardner, Larry	
Golden, Richard Chairperson	Yes
Harris, Ernest	Yes
Pulice, Tezera	Yes
Kaplan, Kim	No
Krajeski, Larry	
McGee Ward, Terry	Yes
Moore, Lillian	Yes
Ohle, Florence	Yes
VanEtten, Linda Vice Chairperson	Yes
Wallant, Dawn	Yes

**INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS:** Ruth Pforte, Coordinator of Volunteer Services, RSVP Council members: Terri Brett, Marge Gildersleeve, Rosemary Graham, Cliff Gross, Anna Sutherland & Carol Voeks

**JUNE MINUTES:** Due to picnic, June's minutes were tabled until the August meeting.

**PROGRAM REPORTS & UPDATES:**

**Tezera Pulice, Nutrition Report:**

- Nutrition surveys are out; data just returning & not tabulated yet
- Comment cards available at all centers
- Farmers Market coupons now available
  - ◆ NYS does not allow proxies; seniors upset but we are following correct protocol
  - ◆ Complaints on location (Coxsackie only) but not within our power

**Connie Bentley, Aging Services:**

- Accommodating more seniors on wait list
- Reaching out to HIICAP/MIPPA clients
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**Terry McGee, Executive Director:**

- Also addressed Farmers Market & seniors complaints regarding no proxy
- Politicians
  - ◆ County does not schedule politicians to speak at Nutrition Centers
  - ◆ Can attend lunch at a center, same as any citizen
  - ◆ Senior Clubs (that meet at centers) can arrange for them to speak

**OLD & NEW BUSINESS:** Tabled till August meeting

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Florence Ohle, **Community Action:**

- Grand Re-opening of Pay It Forward (Thrift Shop) ó well attended
- Participating in Feeding America program
  - ◆ Lots of food
  - ◆ Will connect with Tezera to see if we can coordinate something for home delivered clients

Next meeting: Tues August 12, 2014 at 2pm.