

Advisory Council on Aging  
June 2, 2026 Meeting Agenda  
10:00 – 12:00  
675 Texas Street, County Events Center, Room B, Fairfield, CA 94533

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## AGENDA

June 2, 2026

**CALL TO ORDER** – 10:00 a.m. Riitta DeAnda, Chair

1. **WELCOME:** Riitta DeAnda

2. **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

*This is your opportunity to address the Advisory Council on a matter not on the Agenda, but it must be within the subject matter jurisdiction of the ACOA. Please limit comments to three minutes. Items from the public will be taken under consideration without discussion by the Advisory Council and may be referred to staff.*

3. **APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA / APPROVAL OF THE DRAFT MINUTES**

4. **ELECTION OF OFFICERS:** Riitta DeAnda

- Slate: Chair – Riitta DeAnda; Vice Chair – Olga Curtright; Secretary – Anne Payne.
- **ACTION ITEM:** Approve Officers for FY26/27 term.

5. **CALIFORNIA SENIOR LEGISLATORS: Riitta DeAnda**

- Introductions of four candidates for CSL Senator and Assembly Member for FY26/27: Yvonne Baginski; Scott Pederson; Mel-Veal Preimesberger; Richard White.
- **ACTION ITEM:** Approve one CSL Senator and one Assembly Member.

6. **SPEAKER:** Denise Walker, Meals on Wheels of Solano County

7. **RECRUITMENT:** Olga Curtright

- Recommendations for new members by interview committee and requests for approval.
- **ACTION ITEM:** Approve recommendations.

8. **REPORTS:**

- **Executive Committee:** Riitta DeAnda
  - Discuss meeting dates for 26/27
  - **ACTION ITEM:** Approve meeting recess for July or August.
- **AAA Staff Report:** Gwendolyn Gill
- **AgeWell:** Committee
- **Outreach:** Olga Curtright and Cathy Wagner

9. **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **Discussion:** How do members view the transition of AAA leadership and support.

10. **ADJOURN 12:00 to next meeting:**

- **July 7, 2026** - 650 Imperial Way, First Floor, Napa, CA 94558.
- or
- **August 4, 2026** – 675 Texas Street, County Events Center, Room B, Fairfield, CA 94533.

# Advisory Council on Aging April 7, 2026 Meeting Minutes

## A. 2026 AREA PLAN UPDATE – COMMUNITY FORUM – 10:00 a.m.

Gwendolyn Gill, Interim Executive Director, Area Agency on Aging

## B. ACOA BUSINESS MEETING – 11:11 a.m. – Riitta DeAnda, Chair

1. **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC:** None
2. **MEMBERS PRESENT:** Riitta DeAnda, Chair; Olga Curtright, Vice Chair; Susan Ensey, Secretary; Lynne Baker; Linda Chandler; Linda Giglio; Michelle Marin; Elizabeth Murphy; Anne Payne; Cathy Wagner; Neil Watter; Alan Werblin; Fern Yaffa.  
**ABSENT:** Sandy Stevens; Fran Rosenberg; Richard White.  
**AAA STAFF PRESENT:** Gwendolyn Gill; Ashley Cumpas; Kobie Good.  
**GUESTS:** Elaine Clark; Marc Frankenstein, Napa Commission on Aging; Melissa Gerard, Community Health Foundation Napa Valley; Ben Hill, Ombudsman Napa; Cheryl Johnson; Norma Lisenko, Innovative Health Solutions; Shannon Lovelace-White, Molly's Angels; Devereaux Smith, Molly's Angels; Denise Walker, Meals on Wheels; Cyndi Tierney.
3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA / APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Motion by Olga Curtright to approve the Agenda with the addition of Action Item to approve the Area Plan Update; Seconded by Michelle Marin; Approved. Motion by Fern Yaffa to approve the Minutes; Seconded by Alan Werblin; Approved.
4. **ELECTION OF OFFICERS:** The Nominating Committee presented the following slate of Officers: Riitta DeAnda for Chair; Olga Curtright for Vice Chair; and Anne Payne for Secretary. Nominations from the floor were called, but none were made. The council will vote at the June meeting.
5. **REPORTS:**
  - **Executive Committee:** Riitta DeAnda reported that the Executive Committee discussed coordination of services among Senior Centers and how the Advisory Council might bring them together to coordinate and share information.

**ACTION ITEM:** Motion to recess the May meeting in order for members to participate in Senior Rally Day made by Alan Werblin, Seconded by Michelle Marin, Approved.

**ACTION ITEM:** Motion to approve Chair, Riitta DeAnda signing off on the Area Plan Update made by Susan Ensey; Seconded by Fern Yaffa; Approved.

- **AAA Staff Report:** Gwendolyn Gill referred to her written report.
- **AgeWell:** The April Issue is ready for publication. Lynne Baker expressed appreciation for the work of Leslie Martinez and Ashley Cumpas. The next due date for articles is June 10.
- **Recruitment:** Olga Curtright reported that ten strong candidates have applied. Three are from Napa and seven from Solano. Interview team: Olga Curtright, Cathy Wagner, Elizabeth Murphy.
- **Outreach:** Olga Curtright asked for participation in tabling events and in identifying events.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

- Gwendolyn Gill would like to get feedback at the June meeting on how members view the transition of AAA leadership and support following Elaine Clark.

7. **OLD BUSINESS**

- Ashley Cumpas reported that she is working on the presentation outline about AAA.

8. Motion to Adjourn by Anne Payne; Seconded by Alan Werblin; Approved.

**ADJOURNED 12:15 to next meeting June 2, 2026** – 675 Texas Street, County Events Center, Room B, Fairfield, CA 94533.

Advisory Council on Aging  
Executive Committee Agenda/Minutes

### June 2, 2026 Agenda

1. CALL TO ORDER: 12:00
  2. ROLL CALL / APPROVE MINUTES / APPROVE AGENDA
  3. REVIEW HIGHLIGHTS AND NEXT STEPS RESULTING FROM TODAY'S MEETING
  4. PLAN NEXT MEETING
  5. OPEN DISCUSSION
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### May 19, 2026 Minutes – Special Zoom Meeting

1. CALL TO ORDER: 10:00
  2. ROLL CALL: Present: Riitta DeAnda, Chair; Olga Curtright, Vice Chair; Susan Ensey, Secretary; Richard White, Past Chair. Absent: Gwendolyn Gill, AAA.
  3. REVIEW OF RECRUITMENT PROGRESS: Olga Curtright
  4. REVIEW OF AGENDA FOR JUNE MEETING
  5. ADJOURN
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### April 7, 2026 Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER: 12:20
2. ROLL CALL: Present: Riitta DeAnda, Chair; Olga Curtright, Vice Chair; Susan Ensey, Secretary; Gwendolyn Gill, Interim Executive Director AAA. Absent: Richard White, Past Chair.
3. DISCUSSION OF TODAY'S MEETING
4. PLANS FOR NEXT MEETING
  - Officer Nomination Process: Per the Bylaws, the list of officers to be voted on must be sent to members at least one week prior to the June 7 meeting.
  - Denise Walker, Meals on Wheels Solano, will be the speaker in June.
5. DISCUSSION:
  - Updating of information and notebooks for new members.
  - Forming an onboarding committee or buddy system for new council members.
6. ADJOURNED: 1:00

Brief Resume, Yvonne Baginski

My entire life has been one of service and love to all of life. I started off working with older adults and launched a senior newspaper back in 1981, in Humboldt County. It's still operating today. A storyteller, I have published stories of people overcoming life's obstacles throughout my writing career. I believe that we manifest change and understanding of each other through our stories.

I moved to Napa 35 years ago. Here, I struggled as a single mother raising three children. At one point, I lost my home to a foreclosure and was surviving using local resources and support. I started writing again, and soon was able to write more stories of people's resilience in the local newspaper, with my own column, "Born To Age." I also built a caregiver's support group at the local hospital and started a "Home Visiting Management" program for aging parishioners at St. John's Catholic Church. Having experienced the adversity of life's impact, I found my own compassion and committed myself to a life of service.

To this end, I launched a comprehensive Senior Care Directory, Born To Age, which listed all the services/resources available throughout Napa, Solano, Sonoma, Marin, Alameda and Contra Costa Counties. I also brought in speakers on subjects of aging, consulted with families looking for help, and was president of several local organizations whose emphasis was older adults.

Close to retirement, I sold my business, and began another project. This time, I formed a non-profit, Share the Care Napa Valley, which worked exclusively in helping out people in need. Working 24/7, I made sure that people had rides to the doctor, had someone to pick them up from the hospital, brought them food and cleaned their homes when facing eviction. I also started a medical/home health supplies recycling center off of my front porch. People dropped off/picked up medical supplies for over 12 years. Everything was free. I gave away thousands of items each month. It was altruism at its best and in this work, I was able to meet many of the people in Napa living their most tenderest moments. In 2021, I was honored with the Jefferson Award.

When I finally retired, I decided to change my life completely and "do something different."

I became a learner in the area of environment and local politics. My civic engagement led to forming a committee to defeat Measure J, which was an initiative where an investor wanted to place an industrial park and warehouses on a pristine piece of land next to the San Pablo Bay. The committee was small, but dedicated. We raised money, walked the

precincts and lobbied for the defeat. To our surprise, Measure J was defeated. That success launched me into an intensity of political reality that I still maintain today.

As the founder of the Napa County Wildlife Habitat Conservation Coalition, I have brought together all the environmental groups under one umbrella to lobby in making habitat conservation a priority in this community. I am also the Conservation leader of the Napa Solano Audubon Society, and active in the local Sierra Club and Napa Climate Now! In 2022, I was honored as Napa Climate Champion for the work accomplished in defeating Measure J.

Today I speak before city councils, commissions and write numerous appeals to protect land from development. For the past 7 years, I have served as the Senior Senator of Napa and Solano Counties, for the California Senior Legislature. In this service, I have written several proposals for legislation, one of which made it all the way to the Governor's desk before it was killed. This year, too, I am the president of the Napa Valley Writer's Club, which continues the storytelling work I began so early in my career.

I am the mother of three adult children, grandmother to two and consider my friends and family the best part of my life.

# Scott J. Pederson

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## Executive Profile

Financial and Operations Leader with 20+ years of experience driving accounting, finance, and operational performance across manufacturing, construction, and senior living industries. Proven expertise in financial reporting, budgeting, internal controls, inventory management, and HR leadership for multi-site organizations. Skilled in ERP/financial systems (SAP, Kronos, Hyperion, QuickBooks) and known for implementing process improvements that cut costs, boost compliance, and strengthen organizational performance.

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## Key Achievements

- Directed accounting and reporting for organizations up to **\$38M revenue and 650+ residents/customers**.
  - Cut controllable expenses **15%** by implementing expense and inventory review processes.
  - Negotiated vendor contracts, increasing operational profits by **10%**.
  - Reduced AR backlog to **20 days** with no charge-offs in five years.
  - Implemented ERP systems (SAP, MBA, Kronos, ADP), saving **\$65K annually** through improved productivity.
  - Designed HR policies (attendance, performance, incentive programs) reducing unemployment claims by **50%**.
  - Developed safety programs reducing company-wide accidents by **60%**.
  - Managed raw material inventory of **\$2.5M** and retail inventory of **\$600K**, increasing turns by **15–20%**.
  - Led sales teams, increasing revenue by **38%** in production/manufacturing and **10%** in retail.
  - Elected **City Council Member, Dixon, CA (10 years)**; appointed Vice Mayor 3 years and Treasurer of the City 2 years. Treasurer of Living Hope Church (4 years).
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## Professional Experience

### **Owner | Simply CPR | 2010 – Present**

Founded and manage an AHA-certified CPR/First Aid training company that serves Northern California. Duties include overseeing all operations, finances, and client relationships.

### **Public Service**

*Appointed Vice Mayor, Elected City Council Member, Appointed Treasurer | City of Dixon CA | 2012 - 2022*

- Served as second-in-command to the mayor, presiding over meetings or representing the City of Dixon in the mayor's absence.

- Supported Mayor/Council initiatives and served on Solano County Agencies
- Served as legislative representative of residents, set strategic goals, served on committees. and helped to set the city budget.
- Oversaw city operations and ensured accountability.
- Custodian of city funds, managed banking, cash flow, and investments.
- Provided financial reports, ensured compliance,
- Worked with Finance Department and auditors to safeguard public funds.

#### **Treasurer | Living Hope Church | 4 years**

- Custodian of church funds, managed banking, cash flow, and investments.
- Collected revenues and oversaw debt management.
- Provided financial reports, ensured compliance, monitored disbursements, and payroll.

#### **Controller | Multiple Companies | 2008 – 2023**

*Paradise Valley Estates • Butterfield Electric • Clarke & Rush • Con Quip Inc. • Eagle Press • SilverCrest Western Homes*

- Directed accounting and reporting, including payroll, AR/AP, purchasing, and budgeting.
- Implemented internal controls and compliance measures (including Sarbanes-Oxley).
- Supervised accounting staff and supported cross-functional operations.
- Managed financial systems: Business Works, Great Plains, Navision, Hyperion, Macola, PSI, SAP, Kronos, ADP, and Microsoft Suite.

#### **Operations Manager | Multiple Facilities | 2000 – 2008**

*Central Valley Truss Company • Pacific Corrugated Pipe • Anderson Truss*

- Oversaw daily operations, financial reporting, budgets, and multi-million-dollar raw material inventory.
- Directed purchasing, production, dispatch, contracts, and facility maintenance.
- Supervised 20–30 staff across production, sales, and administration.
- Implemented HR policies and compliance programs for 300+ employees.

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## **Core Competencies**

Financial Reporting & Analysis • Budgeting & Forecasting • Internal Controls & Compliance • Inventory & Purchasing Management • ERP/Financial Systems (SAP, Kronos, Hyperion, QuickBooks, Great Plains, Navision) • Staff Leadership & HR Policy • Strategic Planning & Cost Control - Multi-Site Operations

Dear Napa-Solano Advisory Council on Aging Election Committee:

My name is Mel-Veal Preimesberger, and I am a 20-year-plus resident of Napa, California. I recently learned of the openings on the Napa-Solano Advisory Council on Aging and am submitting my application, along with my resume for consideration. While my resume covers my experience, I would like to share a bit more about my background and the foundation of my interest in serving. I have a Bachelor's degree in Gerontology from the University of Southern California's Leonard Davis School of Gerontology. Upon graduation, I began working in the field, serving in roles ranging from Nursing Home Administrator to Case Manager. These areas provided me with a bird's-eye view of seniors' needs from both medical and independent home-based perspectives.

I pivoted to the field of higher education and then moved on to owning my own retail franchise business. But my commitment to and connection with the field of aging reemerged and became personal when I took on the medical conservatorship of my mother, who resided in Assisted Living and then transitioned to Skilled Nursing Care for almost 10 years. When my Aunt, who served in the Armed Services for 26 years as one of the first African American WAC Photographers, through World War I, The Korean War, and Viet Nam War, I became familiar with Veterans Administration Care, advocating for her both as an outpatient and during her stay at a Skilled Nursing Care at a Veterans Home facility, serving as her medical representative as well. In addition, I was involved in the medical care of my non-senior adult nephew, who resided in long-term nursing care until his passing.

You may be wondering why I am interested in pivoting from Higher Education to Senior Advocacy. As a senior citizen, I don't see it as a complete pivot; I see it as an opportunity to give back to my community in an additional way. As a victim of the 2017 Napa Fires, I witnessed firsthand how our local community government operated and what can happen when a community and its government come together to help its constituents. As a member of the Napa Community, I have served on educational boards in the private school arena and as a board member in the community arts arena as well.

As I venture into the next phase of my giving back, I find myself leaning into my educational roots as a Gerontologist and my expertise in Case Management. I can think of nothing more rewarding than giving back to a community in such a meaningful way to a community that has been so giving to me.

Attached please find the required application documents.

Thank you for your consideration,

Mel Veal-Preimesberger

# M E L V E A L - P R E I M E S B E R G E R

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## **P E R S O N A L P R O F I L E**

I am an Independent Educational Consultant (IEC) who has worked in the field of college admission and higher education for over 20 years. I have worked on all 3 sides of the desk: College Admission, High School Counseling, and as an Independent Educational Consultant, witnessing the ever-changing landscape of College Admission. I maintain a practice and office in Napa, California, where I have resided for over 20 years. Upon graduation from college, I entered the workforce in the field of aging, using my degree in Gerontology.

## **W O R K E X P E R I E N C E**

### **1980 – 1982 Beverly Enterprises**

#### **Nursing Home Administrator**

Acted as the Administrator of a 99 bed geriatric psychiatric skilled nursing facility. Overseeing its quality of care, management of staff, and budget.

### **1982-1984 Home Health Services**

#### **Social Service Case Manager**

Conducted home visits to older adults who had been recently discharged from hospital, skilled nursing or rehab care to ensure that they were made aware of community services and to connect them with community and governmental services.

### **1984-1986 People Coordinated Services**

#### **Social Service Case Manager/Marketing Manager**

Conducted home visits to older adults who had been recently discharged from hospital, skilled nursing or rehab care to ensure that they were made aware of community services and to connect them with community and governmental services. Marketed agency to local Hospitals, Physicians Skilled Nursing and Rehab Facilities.

### **1986 -1988 University of Southern California**

#### **Project Administrator/Asst. Admission Director**

Recruited and Managed Admission Territories of the Southeastern Region of the United States, Served on the Admission Committee.

**1988 – 2000 Business Owner**

**Denise's Hallmark Shop**

Owned and Operated a Hallmark Card Franchise. Responsibilities included: marketing/promotion, managing staff and sales, adhering to the values and business practices and principles of the Hallmark Brand.

**2000-2010 University of Southern California**

**Executive Assistant to the Dean of Admission and Financial Aid**

**Director of Special Projects**

Development and execution of college preparation outreach projects for middle and early high school students' recruitment and retention

**Associate Director of Admission**

Responsibilities included: Coordination of Student Athletic Admission, Coordinator of Multicultural and First-Generation Students, designed workshops, outreach events and managed the review and admittance of a file load of 600-1,000 students each admission cycle, worked with campus stakeholders, and partnered with community-based organizations and local high schools both private and public highlighting the college admission process

**2010-2011 Assistant Director of College Counseling Sonoma Academy**

Acted as a college counselor to high school seniors, preparing them for the college admission process, preparing college lists, reviewed/brainstormed essays, served as an applicant advocate in the application process.

**2018- 2025**

**Guest Faculty Lecturer, UCLA College Counseling Certificate Program**

**2010- Present MP College Chat LLC, Educational Consultant**

**Owner/Director**

Provide Educational Consultancy to students beginning in early high school through senior year components of the application process, identifying appropriate "college fit", provide transfer counseling to students, and graduate admission advisement.

**PROFESSIONAL**

**MEMBERSHIPS**

Western Association of College Admission Counselors (WACAC)

National Association of College Admission Counselors (NACAC)

Higher Educational Consultants Association (HECA)

Independent Education Consultants Association (IECA)

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**BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND SALES LEADER**

Build, Coach, and Nurture High-Performing Teams to Drive Profitable, Sustainable Growth; Develop Strategy and Tactics that Support Corporate Objectives

Innovative sales executive with proven experience in analyzing and capturing market opportunities within various organizational structures and corporate development stages. An innovative, strategic thinker with a unique ability to clearly articulate organizational objectives, provide motivational inspiration, and develop and implement tactical initiatives that support corporate strategy. Proven leader with excellent organizational and communications abilities.

**FULHAM COMPANY, INC.** (Hawthorne, CA)

October 2005 – December 2018 (retired)

A global manufacturer of lighting products designed to promote and support energy efficiency through innovative and clever technology platforms.

VICE-PRESIDENT, US DISTRIBUTION CHANNEL

- Appointed to develop, construct, sustain, and profitably grow a national distribution channel.
- Lead all sales and marketing initiatives to promote profitable, sustainable growth.
- Achieved 13 consecutive years of year-over-year revenue increases.
- Developed business relationships with Grainger, Fastenal, & Amazon while leading a sales channel with over 2,000 clients, 35 sales agents, four Regional Sales Managers, and 300 sales people.
- Work collaboratively with other senior executives and line staff to develop, pursue, and achieve corporate objectives.

**PROGRESS LIGHTING** (Greenville, SC)

July 2000 – October 2005

US manufacturer of residential and commercial lighting fixtures; Progress is a division of Hubbell, Inc.

REGIONAL SALES MANAGER

- Led a 12-state regional network of sales professionals providing residential lighting products and services to homebuilders and owners.
- Achieved regional revenue objectives five consecutive years.
- Awarded “Sales Manager of the Year”, 2004

**UNIVERSAL LIGHTING TECHNOLOGIES** (Nashville, TN)

Aug 1996 – June 2000

Manufactures electrical power supplies (formerly known as MagneTek)

## DIRECTOR OF MARKETING, DISTRIBUTION CHANNEL

- Led several support teams: Client Services, Pricing, Forecasting, Brand Recognition
- Attended numerous industry events
- Authored “One Stop Shopping: A New Model of Customer Service”, 1998

## **GE LIGHTING** (Cleveland, OH)

Jan 1984 – Jun 1996

Manufacturer of lamps and other lighting products for commercial/industrial/residential use

## NATIONAL ACCOUNT MANAGER

- Progressed through a series of positions over 12+ years.
- Awarded “Account Manager of the Year”, 1992

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

- Eden Youth Center, 1980-1985 (Board Member & President)  
Hayward, CA
- Rodeo Homeowners Association, 1988 – 1990 (Board Member & President); Rodeo, CA
- Coordinated and led “Room In The Inn” homeless shelter program, 2000 – 2015;  
Brentwood, TN
- Coordinated and led “Luke 14:12” homeless feeding program, 2000 – 2015; Brentwood, TN
- Ordained Elder (East Brentwood Presbyterian Church), 6 1/2 years, Brentwood, TN
- Coordinated multiple service trips to Guatemala and Long Beach, MS (after Katrina),  
Brentwood, TN
- Led efforts to establish and strengthen relationship with local Hispanic church, Nueva Vida  
in Brentwood, TN
- Former Director, ACLU of Northern California (2019-2021)
- Co-founded Solano Chapter of the Northern California ACLU, 2022
- Member, Solano County Civil Grand Jury (2021, 2002)
- Current member and Former Chair, Napa/Solano Area Agency on Aging Advisory Council  
(2019-present)
- Elected to the California Senior Legislature, 2023-present; currently serving as Vice-Chair  
of the Legislative Committee
- Member, Northern Solano Democratic Club; Vacaville, CA; 2018-present
- Board Member/Treasurer, Molly’s Angels, 2025-present; Napa, CA

## **EDUCATION**

- CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH, BA (Political Science)
- ST. MARY’S COLLEGE, EMBA (Strategic Planning, Organizational Development, Marketing,  
Finance)

## Events

### **2026 N/S Area Agency on Aging Area Plan Update**

- Our 2026 Area Plan update was submitted to the California Department of Aging on April 30, 2026. A draft is still posted on our website [www.aaans.org](http://www.aaans.org).
- **We made two presentations in our community:**
  - **Solano County** – Tuesday, April 7, 2026 – 10:00 am – 12 noon (during ACOA Meeting) ; 30 attendees total including 15 ACOA members.
  - **Napa County** - Wednesday, April 8, 2026 – 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm – 5 persons attended.

### **Older Americans Month – May 2026**

- There were acknowledgements of Older Americans Month in both Solano and Napa Counties. Next year, we are inviting all ACOA committee members to be present at these presentations. It is a great time for visibility and advocacy.

### **Master Plan on Aging**

- **Napa County** – There is an MPA Task Force that includes older and disabled adult service providers from across the community. The Task Force is currently gathering updates to measure the progress the community has made in various activities and categories to ensure needs of older adults are addressed.
- **Solano County** – There is a workgroup of community service providers and residents who meet monthly, receive assignments and act to implement spreading the word about the MPAD (Master Plan on Aging and Disabilities). The workgroup identifies the partner agencies and activities that will help support the MPAD goal.
- **C4A Strategic Planning Session May 5-7, 2026**

I attended the California Association of Area Agencies on Aging (C4A) Strategic Planning Session in Sacramento May 5-6, 2026. On May 7th, many C4A board members met with legislative staff to advocate for aging and disability services. C4A is advocating for more state funds for nutrition, caregiver support and information and assistance. We also discussed AAA program structure; AAA funding related to SB 1249; re-branding C4A a new name/vision statement; the ideal structure and services for information and assistance; and collaborating with other aging and disability focused entities to strengthen our aging service network.

## Services and Contracts

## 2026 Seniors Farmers' Market Nutrition Program

- Beginning June 15, 2026, Farmers' Market Cards (pre-loaded \$50 cards) will be provided to Community Action Napa Valley (143 cards) and Food Bank Contra Costa Solano (408 cards) to distribute to eligible seniors. This is based on our intrastate funding formula which includes county population of seniors in an area. The goal is to provide limited-income seniors with access to locally grown fruits, vegetables, honey and herbs.

## 2026 Resource Guides

- An additional **5,600** 2026 Resource Guides were purchased in English & Spanish and will be distributed in June 2026. Both updated guides have been posted to the [Solano Resources](#) and [Napa Resources](#) pages on the NSAAA website [www.aaans.org](http://www.aaans.org).

## Aging Disability Resource Connection (ADRC)

- Connections Napa County ADRC.** [Connections Napa County – ADRC Napa County](#). The California Department of Aging granted Napa Connections its first funding as an “Emerging Status” ADRC in April 2026 to support program structure towards “Designated Status”.
- Solano ADRC** continues to serve Solano County residents with referrals to resources. [Solano County - ADRC](#)
- Both ADRCs submitted annual ADRC reports to CDA for review.

## N/S AAA Contracts Funding

- CDA allocated \$3,704,378 for 22 contracts for Area Plan July 1, 2026-June 30, 2027. Also there are two nutrition contracts allocated for \$578,802.

<b>Collabria Care</b> (3) - caregiver respite services, I&A, elder abuse prevention	<b>Independent Living Resources Solano/CC</b> (2) - I&A, case mgmt. emergency support	<b>North Coast Opportunities</b> case mgmt. and family caregiver I&A
<b>Community Action NV</b> (2) - home delivered meals and congregate meals	<b>Innovative Health Solutions</b> (3) - congregate meals, grandparents family caregiver, disease prevention	<b>Alzheimer's Association</b> - family caregiver support
<b>Empowered Aging</b> - ombudsman services	<b>Legal Services of Northern CA</b> - legal aid	<b>Share the Care</b> - fall prevention
<b>Faith in Action</b> - transportation	<b>Meal on Wheels SC</b> (3) - fall prevention & home delivered meals	<b>Solano Pride</b> - telephone reassurance, case management, peer counseling
<b>Food Is Free Bay Area</b> - meal boxes	<b>Molly's Angels of NV</b> (2) - transportation, ombudsman	<b>Stella Wu-Chu</b> - nutrition program monitoring

- CDA allocated \$267,450 funding for renewal of our ADRC Solano contract.
- CDA allocated \$90,000 for the “Emerging” Napa Connections ADRC. Napa Connections is a partnership between Collabria Care, Disability Services-Legal Center and the N/S AAA.

### **N/S AAA Oversight Board Meeting – April 2026**

Our fiscal and program team members make presentations about our services providers and fiscal matters to the Oversight Board. There was discussion about service providers spending their allocations timely; ensuring that they serve all areas of Napa and Solano County; area plan contracts usually for four-year intervals of renewals. Riitta DeAnda and Anne Payne attended this meeting as well.

### **N/S AAA Virtual Service Provider Orientation - July 8, 2026 10:00- 12:00 pm**

- Our program, fiscal team and service providers will meet about contracts, fiscal deliverables, and other administrative matters. ACOA members can attend.

### **Outreach**

#### **California Senior Legislature (CSL) Applications**

- These candidates will be voted on in our June 2026 ACOA meeting.

#### **Senate Bill 707 - Update on Brown Act**

- Our meeting rooms in Napa and Solano Counties have video-conferencing capabilities. Our meetings can be hybrid meetings – both in person and virtually. Please contact us by email 3-5 days before the ACOA meeting so we can send you a link for remote access

#### **Community Outreach**

- Facebook and Instagram messages continue to run on various topics including caregiver resources and directing individuals to our NSAAA website. Our Public Health Intern is supporting this project with Ashley Cumpas.
- Our outreach vendor Brown Miller has created giveaways including magnets, postcards and flyers which can be used at community events.

#### **AgeWell Newsletter**

- We have intern support through June 2026 to help support the layout of the newsletter. The next AgeWell Newsletter will be sent **July 15, 2026**. If you are not receiving the AgeWell Newsletter regularly, please sign up on the [www.aaans.org](http://www.aaans.org) website under the AgeWell tab.

#### **N/S AAA Staffing Update**

- **Executive Director Vacancy** – still in pending status due to review of budgets. Gwendolyn Gill will continue to serve as the Interim Director.
- **Office Assistant Vacancy** - We are interviewing for a new Office Assistant.

# ACOA LEGISLATION REPORT

June 2026

## CSL PROPOSALS

### **SP1: Medical Personal Needs Allowance (ASM Ahrens)**

- Assigned to Senate Budget Subcommittee as a Human Services “budget ask”. Ahrens and Corey Jackson sit on this committee.

### **SP2: Older Adult Education (ASM Choi) --- SB971**

- This bill provides that a local health department, area agency on aging, local school district, or other appropriate county department, **may** establish community-based programs for older adults designed to promote healthy aging, social engagement, and independent living in collaboration with relevant local entities, including school districts, libraries, faith institutions, and community organizations.
- 3/25: passed Senate Health Committee (11-0); amended.
- 4/20: passed Senate Human Services (4-0-1).
- 5/18: passed Senate floor: 38-0-2.

### **AP2: Personal Income Tax: Senior Child Care Credit (Senator Dahle) – SB1096**

- Senate Bill 1096 authorizes a personal income tax credit for seniors 65+ with no earned income, equal to \$1,500 per dependent, for tax years 2026 through 2030. The bill also contains legislative findings and declarations to comply with Section 41 of the Revenue and Taxation Code.
- 5/6: **failed** Senate Revenue & Taxation (1-1-3); vote to reconsider passed (5-0).

#### **AP4: AED's in Senior Centers (ASM Sanchez) -- AB1819**

- Requires senior centers, as defined, to install AED devices and grants qualified immunity to building owners, employees, managers, and volunteers, as provided.
- Specifically, this bill:
  - 1) Requires senior centers, including senior centers run by a local government, to have an AED and requires the senior center to meet specified training and maintenance standards relating to the AED.
  - 2) Provides that a senior center employee or volunteer who uses, does not use, or attempts to use an AED, and members of the senior center's board of directors, are not liable for civil damages, except in the case of injury or harm that results from gross negligence, or willful or wanton misconduct.
  - 3) Provides that owners, managers, employees, volunteers, or otherwise responsible authorities of a senior center are not liable for civil damages resulting from an act or omission in the course of rendering emergency care, unless specified criteria are met. One installed and operable AED in every senior and/or community center with 50 or more people.
- 4/21; passed Assembly Aging/LTC (6-0-1).
- 5/21: Assembly Appropriations; under submission

#### **BILLS WITH CSL SUPPORT**

##### **AB1770** (Garcia) - Arbitration: Health Care Services Plans & Health Insurers

- Grants the Attorney General oversight over health care service plans to the extent necessary to ensure that plans that have binding arbitration terms comply with the California Arbitration Act. Major Provisions
  - 1) Grants the Attorney General (AG) oversight over, and authorizes the AG to require reports from health care service plans to ensure

that health care service plans that include a term requiring the parties to submit to binding arbitration to settle disputes comply with the specified requirements.

2) Clarifies that, notwithstanding any other law, an arbitration claim initiated pursuant to a health care service plan must be conducted pursuant to the California Arbitration Act.

- 4/21: passed Assembly Judiciary (10-2-0)
- 5/14: passed Assembly Appropriations (11-4-0)

**AB1587** (Ta) – Prescription Drugs for Life Threatening Conditions

- Clarifies that a pharmacist is only required to inform the prescriber within a reasonable period of time of any refills dispensed pursuant to the law authorizing emergency refills if a prescriber is identified.
- Removes pharmacy liability for furnishing a prescription drug refill for a life-threatening condition if the prescriber can't be reached.
- Amended to remove a 30-day prescription period.
- Pharmacy is required to notify the prescriber about the action.
- 4/7: passed Assembly Business & Professions (19-0-0)
- 4/15: passed Assembly Appropriations (13-0-2)
- 4/23: passed Assembly Floor (74-0-6)

**SB1261** (Laird) – Aging and Disability Resource Center

- Prohibit CDA from revoking the designation of an ADRC program solely due to the revocation of a designation, suspension, or temporary inability of either the area agency on aging or the independent living center partner to serve in its operator role; and provide that in those circumstances, either the area agency on aging or the independent living center may continue to operate the ADRC independently during a transition period of not less than one year and not more than two years, upon agreement of the CDA, the Department of Rehabilitation, and the Aging and

Disability Resource Connection Advisory Committee, while a new or replacement partner is identified and designated. •

- Require that during the transition period described above, the services provided by the ADRC must continue without interruption, and joint operation must be reestablished upon designation of the replacement partner that serves older adults or is a peer-led disability organization.
- 4/6: passed Senate Human Services (5-0-0)
- 5/14: passed Senate Appropriations (7-0-0)

### **AB2674** (Schiavo) – Financial Abuse and Deception Preventative Measures

- This bill requires financial institutions to take specified preventive measures to help protect customers from financial harm stemming from suspect transactions.
- Major Provisions
  - 1) Defines "suspect transaction" to mean account activity that is an attempted or successful transfer, withdrawal, or deposit of money, into or from the account, in which the surrounding circumstances are suspicious, unusual, consistent with known deceptive tactics, or likely to be the result of financial abuse or deception.
  - 2) Requires a depository institution (DI), as specified, to provide scam recognition and prevention training to employees no less often than once every six months.
  - 3) Prohibits a DI from ignoring or devaluing any sign of financial abuse or deception based on the age, language capacity, or education of a customer.
  - 4) Requires a DI that suspects financial abuse or deception with respect to any in-person suspect transaction shall employ all of the following preventive measures:
    - a) Advise the customer to independently verify the information and inform the customer that the transaction cannot be undone.

b) Encourage the customer to contact a nonprofit, nationally recognized fraud hotline that can help determine if the situation is harmful.

c) If a customer has provided the depository institution with the contact information for an optional trusted third party and the depository institution does not have reason to believe that the trusted third party is causing, or will cause, financial harm to the customer, the depository institution may contact the trusted third party.

d) For any suspect transaction, a depository institution shall disclose to the customer that the depository institution cannot be held liable for harms related to the suspect transaction that result in financial abuse or deception if it has complied with this section.

5) Requires the DI to display a notice containing information to warn the customer of a scam and fraud if a suspected translation occurs online and not in an expedited transaction.

- 4/20: passed Assembly Banking/Finance (7-1-1)
- 4/21: passed Assembly Judiciary (10-0-2)
- 5/14: passed Assembly Appropriations (13-0-2)

#### **AB1672** (Solache) – Medi-Cal; PACE Programs

- Increases transparency of, and establishes requirements related to, capitation rates paid to Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) organizations for care of dually enrolled Medi-Cal and Medicare beneficiaries. Establishes timelines for rates to be provided to PACE organizations, a comment period, and opportunity for negotiations. Requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to provide a rationale for any assumptions or calculations concerning PACE rates and to make a good faith effort to reach agreement with the contracting PACE organizations on capitation rates.
- 3/24: passed Assembly Health (16-0-0)
- 4/8: passed Assembly Appropriations (14-0-1)

- 4/16: passed Assembly Floor (68-0-12)

## **OTHER AGING/LTC BILLS BEING TRACKED**

**SB417** (Cabaldon) and **AB736** (Wicks): Affordable Housing Bond Act of 2026: \$10B/\$17.39B at 30 years:

- 11/3/26 ballot measure initiative
- \$5.2B to Housing Rehabilitation Loan Fund (multi-family & infill infrastructure grants; 10% must be extremely low income.
- \$1.75B to Housing Rehabilitation Loan Fund (supportive housing).
- \$800M to Portfolio Reinvestment Program – Legislature
- \$500M to the Department of Housing & Community Development (HCD) to acquire & rehab of “unrestricted” housing units, with long-term affordability requirements.
- \$200M for wildfire prevention, displacement; accelerated construction.
- \$1B to other home ownership programs.
- \$250M to Serna Farmworker Housing Grant Program
- \$250M to Tribal Housing Grant Program Trust Fund
- 1/6: passed Senate Housing (8-1-2)
- 1/22: passed Senate Appropriations (5-2-0); amended
- 1/27: passed Senate Floor (30-9-1)
- 4/22: passed Assembly Housing/CD (10-2-0)
- 5/14: passed Assembly Appropriations (12-3-0)

**AB635** (Ahrens): Mobile Home Residency Law Protection Program

- HCD required to provide assistance in resolving disputes between mobile home residents and owners
- HCD can report 25 most egregious violations to the AG in a fiscal year
- AG required to report annually on expenditures and number of violations
- 6/3/25: passed Assembly floor (56-11-12)

- 6/24/25: passed Senate Housing Committee (8-2-1)
- 6/26/25: hearing cancelled by author; referred to Judiciary

**AB1165** (Gipson) - California Housing Justice Act

- 1) Requires HCD, in coordination with the California Interagency Council on Homelessness (CA-ICH) and other stakeholders, to create the following no later than January 1, 2028:
  - a) A finance plan to solve homelessness. This finance plan shall determine the funding necessary to create enough housing to meet the unmet housing needs of people experiencing homelessness, and the unmet housing needs of people expected to fall into homelessness based on the most recent statistics of rates of Californians falling into homelessness;
  - b) A finance plan to solve the housing unaffordability crisis. This finance plan shall identify funding necessary to meet the affordable housing needs the department identified in the most recent regional housing needs assessment;
  - c) Statewide annual performance metrics through all of the following:
    - i. Updating annually the "Statewide Action Plan for Preventing and Ending Homelessness in California," to include annual metrics to achieve goals established in the finance plan to solve homelessness, as specified; and
    - ii. Identifying and regularly updating annual metrics to achieve goals established in the finance plan to solve the housing unaffordability crisis, as specified.
- 2) Requires the Business, Consumer Services, and Housing Agency to report to the Legislature, on or before October 1 of each year, beginning in 2028, on its progress in meeting the performance measures and benchmarks contained in the finance plans and annual performance metrics. The agency shall publish goals on its website and update progress toward the goals at least annually.
- 4/30/25; passed Assembly Housing & CD (9-1-2)
- 1/22/26: passed Assembly Appropriations (11-3-1)

- 1.29: passed Assembly Floor (54-12-14)

**SB1249** (Richardson) – Personal Income Taxes: Deductions: Elderly Senior dependent

- Authorizes an above-the-line deduction for elderly seniors for tax years 2026 through 2030, equal to \$6,000, subject to a phase-out above specified income levels. Amended to \$3,000.
- Start date of 1/1/27; sunsets 1/1/32
- 5/6: passed Senate Revenue and Taxation (5-0-0)
- 5/14: passed Senate Appropriations (7-0-0)

**SB951** (Reyes) – California Worker Technological Displacement Act

- This bill establishes the California Worker Technological Displacement Act to, among other things,
  - 1) require employers to provide a 60-day advanced written notice before any technological displacement affecting a specified number of its workforce;
  - 2) prohibit employers from discharging an affected worker without reasonable and substantiated cause during this 60-day period;
  - 3) grant impacted workers the right of first bid on other positions with the employer; and
  - 4) prescribe penalties and specified remedies for violations, including the filing of a civil action.
- 4/8: passed Senate Labor, Public Employment, and Retirement (3-1-1)
- 4/20: passed Senate Privacy, Digital Technologies, and Consumer Protection (7-0-0)
- 5/14: passed Senate Appropriations (5-2-0)
- 5/20: passed Senate Floor (28-9-3)

## **CSL NORTH BAY CAUCUS – LEGISLATIVE PROPOSAL**

The caucus continues its work on a series of potential proposals intended to expand assisted-living supportive housing initiatives. Six ideas are being researched to develop the California Affordable Assisted-Living Act:

1. Expand the “density bonus” law for senior care
2. Create a state-assisted living voucher program
3. Establish a California Affordable Assisted-Living Tax Credit
4. Fund “small home” and intergenerational housing
5. Require local governments to zone for senior care facilities
6. Create a state revolving loan fund for senior housing

The project team also wants to hear personal stories from people who have had trouble accessing and securing assisted living housing. If you or someone you know has a compelling story to tell, we want to hear it.



**INTERNAL CALENDAR - Napa / Solano Advisory Council on Aging - FY 25/26**

Updated 05/21/26

Month	Meetings / Membership	Calendar of Events	Project & Advocacy Milestones	Key AAA / Contract Activities
<b>JUL</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Officers begin terms Riitta DeAnda, Chair; Olga Curtright, Vice Chair; Susan Ensey, Secretary. Richard White, Past Chair.</li> <li>-Recess of regular meeting.</li> <li>-Strategy discussion via zoom, for interested members 7/8.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Senior Roundtable, Florence Douglas Ctr, Vallejo 1:30-3:00, 7/7. (Meets 1st Monday/month.)</li> <li>-American Canyon Meet Me in the Street, 5-8 PM, 7/9.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Strategy setting meeting resulted in 7 proposed priorities for FY 2025/26.</li> <li>-<i>Agewell</i> published.</li> <li>-Quarterly Report.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Elaine Clark retired 7/31.</li> <li>-Gwendolyn Gill interim Director.</li> <li>-Napa ADRC: "Connections Napa County"</li> <li>-Solano ADRC has a new case manager; funding for emergency services cut.</li> <li>--Solano MPPAD Community Meeting planned for the fall.</li> </ul>
<b>AUG</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Solano</li> <li>-Speaker on Creative Aging: Clara Dawson, Vacaville Museum</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-American Canyon Meet Me in the Street, 5-8 PM, 8/13</li> <li>-Senior Resource Fair, 575 S. Jefferson Str, Dixon, 10-12, 8/20</li> <li>-Senior Health Fair, Joseph Nelson Comm. Center, Suisun, 9-12, 8.28.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Further action on The 7 Priorities for 2025/26.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Ashley Cumpas and Norma Lisenko with Innovative Health Solutions leading Solano MPAD work.</li> <li>-Creating schedule for all service providers to be monitored this year.</li> <li>-AAA Outreach activities continue.</li> </ul>
<b>SEP</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Napa</li> <li>-Speaker: Melissa Schumann, Partnership HealthPlan of California.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Senior Wellness Afternoon, Yountville Commons, 6554 Yount Street, Yountville, 1-3, 9/9.</li> <li>-Airport Day, 3000 Baumann Road, Rio Vista, 10-4, 9/13.</li> <li>-Legislative Update, Yountville Commons, 6554 Yount Street, Yountville, 1-3, 9/18.</li> <li>-Fall Prevention Month.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-<i>Agewell</i> articles due 9/10. Adding Poetry Corner feature.</li> <li>--Review of Master Plan for Solano by Riitta DeAnda and Olga Curtright.</li> <li>-Teams making progress on goal setting.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Service provider orientations in Solano and Napa. ACOA members are invited.</li> <li>-The progress and impact of N/S AAA's comprehensive communication program presented to ACOA.</li> <li>-Coordinating MPAD kickoff for Solano.</li> <li>-CalFresh funding lost \$600k.</li> </ul>
<b>OCT</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Solano</li> <li>-Speaker Tiffanie Walker, Connections Napa County (I&amp;A, ADRC).</li> <li>-Recognition and condolences for Donna Harris for her excellent energy and contributions.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Napa Town Hall, Los Flores Community Ctr, 5:15-7:00, 10/30.</li> <li>Emergency Preparedness Month.</li> <li>-Ageism Awareness Day.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-<i>Agewell</i> published 10/15</li> <li>-Quarterly Report.</li> <li>-Provider Interview Teams formed.</li> <li>-Transportation Team participating in transportation forums.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NSAA Service Provider Orientation events held in Solano and Napa with 18 of the 19 providers participating.</li> <li>-Senior Resource Guides now online.</li> <li>-MPAD kickoff for Solano County 10/2/25.</li> <li>-Program monitoring visits held with nine providers.</li> </ul>

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<b>NOV</b>	-Napa -Speaker Deborah McQuilkin, Mobility Manager for Solano Transportation Authority.	-Dia De Los Muertos 11/1: —Vacaville: Andrews Park, 4-7PM. ---Napa: Veterans Park, Brown Street, 3-8PM. -Napa Town Hall, Browns Valley Elementary, 5:30-7:00, 11/13. -Benicia Senior Resource Volunteer Fair, Benicia, 10-2PM, 11/20. -California Alzheimer's Awareness & Family Caregivers Month.	-Reports / updates from two teams: Provider Needs and Transportation.	-Gwendolyn Gill and Ashley Cumpas attend California AAA Conference (C4A). -Allocation of CDA one-time funding to 11 service providers.
<b>DEC</b>	-Recess of regular meeting.	-Resource Fair, Molly's Angels Senior Luncheon, Elks Lodge, 2840 Soscol Ave, 11:30-2PM, 12/5.	- <i>Agewell</i> articles due 12/10.	-Brown Act booklet sent to ACOA members.
<b>JAN</b>	-Napa -Speaker: Michael Thompson, HICAP. -Hybrid / virtual attendance allowed for accommodating a physical disability. -Kathy Kahn resigned.	-6 <sup>th</sup> Annual Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Sunrise Banquet Hall and Event Center, 620 Orange Drive, Vacaville, 12-2, 1/21 -Senior Resource Fair, McBride Center, 91 Town Square Place, Vacaville, 9-1, 1/22.	- <i>Agewell</i> published 1/15. -Quarterly Report.	-New ADRC flyers available. -2026 Senior Resource Guides online.. -Final determination of Executive Dir. NSAAA position underway and recruitment to follow. -Review of Information Kiosks active in Solano County.
<b>FEB</b>	-Solano -Speaker: Susan Rochy, Independent Resource Center -Review Officer Nomination process.		-Richard White compared number of rides provided through the Inter-City Tax Card Program and the Growing GOGO program.	-Nutritional needs of the community is an important issue.  -Guidelines for virtual access to meetings are being finalized. -AAA has intern support through June.
<b>MAR</b>	-Napa -Speaker: Melissa Gerard, Providence Adult Health.	-March for Meals. -Community Forum Alzheimer's Research, Napa Library, 10-11:30,	- <i>Agewell</i> articles due 3/10. -Goals Progress monthly updates completed.	-Work on Area Plan update. -Updating Brown Act.

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	-Officer Nomin. Comm. formed. -Kristi Morrow no longer member.	3/31.	-Team formed to develop a presentation on ACOA.	
<b>APR</b>	-Solano -Presentation of Slate of Officers. -Presentation of Area Plan Update.	-Community Forums, 2026 Area Plan Updates, Napa/Solano AAA: —Solano Area Plan: 4/7. —Napa Area Plan: 4/8. -Napa Community Health Fair, Oxbow Commons, 1-3:30, 4/12.	- <i>Agewell</i> published 4/15. -Quarterly Report.	-2026 Area Plan Update presentation in Solano and Napa.
<b>MAY</b>	-Recess of regular meeting. -Members attend CSL Virtual Rally Day. -Prospective member interviews.	-Older Americans Month. -Soroptimist of American Canyon Resource Fair, AC Comm Church, 10-1, 5/20. -Up Valley Family Center's Older Adult Health & Wellness Fair, Pioneer Park, Calistoga, 5/27. -KROCFEST, 586 Wigeon Way, Suisun City, 11-3, 5/30.		-Submit Area Plan Update 5/1.
<b>JUN</b>	-Solano -Election of Officers -Speaker: Denise Walker, MOW. -Intros and approval of CSL. -Recommendations of new members and approvals. -Recognition of members leaving: Susan Ensey, Fran Rosenberg; Richard White, Fern Yaffa.	-Gay Pride Month. -Elder Abuse Awareness 6/15. -Stop Scams workshop and resource fair, Napa Valley College, 9-1, 6/23.	- <i>Agewell</i> articles due 6/10 -Plan 2026/27 ACOA calendar of events.	-Review 25/26 provider contracts with council.

**Ongoing Monthly Meetings:**

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- **HAPI, (Healthy Aging Population Initiative - Napa)**, Zoom, 11:00-12:00, 2nd Wednesday/month: Contact [dsmith@mollysangels.com](mailto:dsmith@mollysangels.com)
- **Napa County Commission on Aging**, In-person and Zoom, 2:00-4:00, 4th Monday/month, [countyofnapa.org/1000/Commission-on-Aging](http://countyofnapa.org/1000/Commission-on-Aging)

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<b>JAN</b>	-Napa	-Martin Luther King Jr. Day, 1/19.	- <i>Agewell</i> published 1/15. -Quarterly Report.	

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