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TERMS OF REFERENCE

Vision:

Healthy Ageing in Strasbourg

Mission:

The mission of Age Friendly Committee is to improve the quality of life and reduce barriers faced by residents of Strasbourg who desire to remain in the community and/or their own residences throughout their lives, resulting in a community enriched by the contribution of all ages.

Purpose:

- Identify, advocate, and facilitate action needed within the community to improve the lives of older adults.
- Listen to older adults in the community so we can implement programs and projects that will benefit them and help them stay in their own homes and community.
- Develop action plans based on our findings to address identified concerns and needs.
- Implement our action plans with the assistance of the community members and older adults in Strasbourg and area.
- Form partnerships with other groups, businesses, and organizations within the community.
- Share the work and principles of Age Friendly Strasbourg

- Create new activities and programs that facilitate intergenerational knowledge sharing, and that are inclusive to all ages.

Values:

We believe:

- All people should have the opportunity to contribute to our community.
- We are fortunate to have people of all ages, abilities, and cultures in our town.
- In the possibility of making our town more senior friendly and inclusive.
- All persons should be able to choose where they live as long as they are able.

Member Roles and Responsibilities:

We will:

- Uphold the mandate of Age Friendly Strasbourg and Age Friendly Saskatchewan.
- Encourage the participation of individuals, communities, service providers, and government to promote healthy relationships.
- Advocate for the older adults of Strasbourg.
- Assess the community based on Age Friendly's 8 Focus Areas.
- Make recommendations to municipal government about how our community can best support older adults based on senior survey results and needs.
- Appoint executive members which will include: Chairperson, Vice-Chairperson and Secretary who will maintain accurate minutes and financial reports.

Meetings:

- Meetings held regularly.
- Date, time, and location of next meeting know at the closing of each assembly.

- Meeting Minutes to be presented to the committee no later than the next scheduled meeting.
- Any motions carried or policies approved by the committee will need a majority vote.