

**February Meeting of the Commission on Aging  
Held at the Senior Circle  
Thursday, February 5, 2026 – 12:00 p.m.  
In Person - Via Go-To-Meeting**

Notice of this meeting was given to the public in compliance with Section 10-15-1 through 10-15-4 NMSA and Resolution 25-28.

**ROLL CALL**

The meeting convened at 12:04 p.m. with members, Dorothy Hellums, Brooks Stephens, Lorraine Wilby and Jimmy Masters all being present.

Absent: Brandi Candelaria

Staff present: April Hunter

A quorum was established.

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

1. Member Hellums motioned to approve the February 5, Commission on Aging agenda. A voice vote was unanimous and the motion passed 4-0, with Member Candelaria being absent.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

2. Member Hellums motioned to approve the November 20, 2025 and January 15, 2026 meeting minutes of the Commission on Aging. Member Stephens was the second. A voice vote was unanimous and the motion passed 4-0, with Member Candelaria being absent.

**GUEST SPEAKER**

3. Debra Dixon with the Alliance Company was the guest speaker and provided information on the different Medicare plans available for seniors.

**ACTION ITEMS**

4. Discuss ideas for February and March Senior Tips.  
A discussion determined that the February Tips would focus on heart safety. March would focus on website information. Member Brooks motioned to approve these ideas for the Senior Tips. Member Wilby was the second. A voice vote was unanimous and the motion passed 4-0, with Member Candelaria being absent.

**CHAIR ANNOUNCEMENTS**

5. Member Hellums informed the Commission that Member Candelaria is currently researching transportation options for seniors. She also notified the Commission of Member Harrison's resignation.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Senior Tip Flyers and guest speaker.

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION-limited to 3 minutes**

None

**ADJOURN**

Meeting adjourned at 12:44 p.m. Next meeting will be March 19, 2026.