

OLLI at UNL Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
Monday, March 10, 2025 9 a.m.
Eastmont Senior Living Center, 6315 “O” Street, Lincoln, NE

The council met in-person at Eastmont Senior Living Center and enjoyed a continental breakfast and conversation beginning at 9 a.m.

Welcome and Call to Order – Chair Jim Van Kirk called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m.

Present: Paul VanDeWater, Bob Michl, Nancy Mitchell, David Dyke, Jim VanKirk, Helen Meeks, Carol Myers, Gene Stohs, Teri Hlava, Jim McLoughlin, Charlyne Berens, Greg Jensen, Jeanette Wellsandt, Mary Losh, Roger Lempke, Audrey Paulman, Patricia Saldana. **Absent:** Zakiyyah Mustafa

Additions to the Agenda - none

Approval of the February, 2025 meeting minutes

Motion to approve Teri Hlava, seconded by Carol Myers the minutes with two minor wording changes.
Motion Approved.

Budget Reports – Paul Van De Water

Because UNL had not provided fiscal information for an updated budget report, the report will be completed this week and sent to council members.

Director’s Report – Bob Michl

As this council meeting was primarily about brainstorming, Bob Michl reminded all that his written report had been sent with all meeting items previously and he encouraged members to make sure to read the report.

Chair comments – Jim Van Kirk

Jim prefaced new business by breaking the council into three groups for brainstorming purposes on the topics of finances, curriculum, membership, and marketing. The discussion was to be used to set the stage for the June Advisory Council retreat.

New Business

Each of the assigned groups spent 15 minutes each on brainstorming and sharing thoughts about each of the topics: Finances, Curriculum, Membership, and Marketing. The session concluded with leaders in each group providing summaries of discussions.

Old Business

None

The meeting was adjourned at 11:20 a.m.

Next Meeting: Monday, April 14, 2025 – 9:00 am via Zoom.