

July 8, 2020 Commission Meeting, 1:00 p.m. -3:00 p.m.

\*Due to State of Emergency in Massachusetts

This meeting will be conducted via Zoom

*If you would like to receive a Zoom invite, please contact colleen.pritoni@state.ma.us*

Agenda

1. Approval of June Minutes
   1. Vote Required
2. Financial Report/Budget – Joe O’Leary, Treasurer
3. Update of ISA with UMass for “Outreach Project” and review of new Tip Sheets – Colleen Pritoni
4. Advocacy Issues During COVID-19

* Letter to DTA Commissioner, update Ilene Mitchell
* DESE guidance for back-to-school, update Ilene Mitchell
* Generations United Project – Joe O’Leary

1. Sub-Committee Updates:

* Support Group Sub-Committee: Deb Dowd-Foley
* Legal and Advocacy Sub-Committee: Lynn Girton
* Information and Outreach: *UMass Project – Need volunteers for sub-committee*
* Resource Development Sub-Committee: Ilene Mitchell

1. Directors Report –
   1. GRG Support Group Zoom meeting
      * self-care and yoga zoom workshops for grandparents raising grandchildren
      * PPE distribution to GRG groups
2. Chairwoman’s Report
   1. Advisory Board Recruitment
   2. Video for Grandparents Raising Grandchildren
3. Advisory Board Update – Ann Behravesh
4. Other Business: