



Commission on Aging
Aging in Community Committee Meeting
April 8, 2025
9:30 am-11:30 am

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ENGAGE WITH US, LEARN WITH US, AND HELP US! The Commission on Aging in Community (AIC) Committee addresses vital issues facing older adults as they age in place.

Meeting Agenda

- Review of minutes from March 11

Presentation and Discussion: Important Presentation to Hear How Montgomery County Fire and Rescue (MCFR) Help Older Adults Age In Place

Avital Graves Manager will describe how the Mobile Integrated Health (MIH) Program serves patients with frequent calls to 911 who have unfulfilled chronic needs. MHI helps to address the growing disparity between the volume of emergency 911 calls and the limited availability of EMS resources. They have developed partnerships with local hospitals, the health department, and various community groups, to pair these patients with existing community-based medical and social programs.

Beth Anne Nesselt and Jim Resnick from Montgomery County Fire and Rescue Community Risk Reduction will describe the safety and community risk reduction programs that help older adults age in place. These educational and outreach programs provide resources, education, training, and leadership to enhance public awareness about fire and life safety issues.

Q and A and CoA follow-up: Following the presentations, the speakers will answer questions, and the CoA will discuss how they can advocate for these important programs.

Updates & New Business:

1. Update on meeting with HOC
2. Possible follow-up on data presentation
3. Developing a fact sheet that would help an older adult consider a move
4. Topic for May 13th meeting & Adjourn