



CITY OF DANBURY

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810
DEPARTMENT OF ELDERLY SERVICES
COMMISSION ON AGING
ELMWOOD HALL
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DATE: June 24, 2013

TO: Honorable Mayor Mark D. Boughton
Members of the City Council

FROM: Susan M. Tomanio, LCSW
Director of Elderly Services

RE: Department Report for City Council Meeting
Reporting Period: (5/23/13 – 6/24/13)

Department of Elderly Services - 579 incoming information calls

Elmwood Hall Senior Center - 276 seniors, 1,274 visits / services (statistics on seniors for a portion of month unavailable due to system upgrade)

Program Highlights: Country Western Line Dance, Free Health Screenings, Timeless Trivia, Wii In-House Summer Bowling League, Elmwood Hall Golf Club Outing, Giant Tag Sale

Municipal Agent –403 office/phone appointments

Monthly Concerns: 2012 Rent Rebate Program, care giving and long term care options, Medicare Savings Program, elderly & disabled benefits information, area senior and disabled housing options, Medicare, Medigap, Medicare D & Medicare Advantage counseling, Medicaid, elder law and attorneys referrals, home care options, respite care options, Dept. of Social Services Protective Services referrals

Van Transportation Program –378 one way trips

Donations: All donations are for performances by the Senior Center Chorus: Pope John Paul II - \$25, Ridgefield Crossings - \$25, Maplewood of Danbury - \$25, Almost Home - \$25, The Gardens - \$25

Connections / Collaborations: Aging in Place Steering Committee of the Peter and Carmen Lucia Buck Foundation, State Commission on Aging (board member), Livable Communities Subcommittee