

## SELF ADVOCATES COUNCIL MINUTES

## **THURSDAY MAY 8, 2014**

PRESENT: George, Cora, Stephanie, Leo, Tom, Karen, Frank, Allen, Chelsea, Jeff, Shelly, Margaret, Caitlin, Alyshia, Verne, Amy, Don, Michele

## DISCUSSION

- Reviewed minutes from last meeting
- The swim policy is now under review with outcome to follow
- We have 4 t-shirts left (2 medium, 2 large) for \$15 each if anyone is interested. They could also be used as a prize/donation.
- Michele to confirm that the \$100 donation from CLH to SAC has been received before sending a thank you note to Tony written by Margaret.
- Margaret began making phone calls to self-advocate groups in other agencies to see if they are interested in participating in a tele-conference. This will be an ongoing process over the summer.
- Michele to distribute email to promote SAC poster contest
- Election day on June 12<sup>th</sup> Self advocates to gather information regarding voting and host an information session at CLH
- Date to be confirmed for Caitlyn to do presentation on bullying
- Council decided that they would not meet during the summer so meetings will run September to June
- Members shared how they advocated for themselves or others during this past month

## **NEXT MEETING**

Thursday June 12, 2014 at 12:30pm in the large boardroom at Olive St.