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**Wednesday May 10th, 2023 10:00 A.M.- COA Board Meeting Minutes**  
Senior Community Center, Library Room

Live video and audio of the meeting will be aired on Comcast Channel 18. A recording of the meeting will also be posted on the Town of Acushnet You Tube channel.

**Present:** Linda Guilbeault, Paulette Hudson, Jeri Howland, Heather Chew and Dan Smith.

**Excused:** Pauline Teixeira, Gerard Bergeron and Deborah Raposa.

1. Call to order 10:00 a.m.
2. Meeting Mail- None
3. Minutes that need to be Approved
- . April 12, 2023 held until next meeting.

4. Old Business  
BBQ sponsored by Coastline. Thursday, June 29 @ noon. Music by Dan McGowan.

Partnership with New Bedford's regional EMHOT. Free mental health and counseling services are now available due to this collaboration. Clients must be over age 60. Referrals from Heather or Jen.

Bathroom/roof renovation. \$80,000 was secured for the Acushnet COA. Awaiting final budget in June. This money I'd earmarked for roof and heating repairs. Any remaining balance will be used for bathroom renovation.

Town administrator sponsored annual BBQ. Thursday, June 8th. Free for 50 seniors. Music by Dan McGowan.

5. New Business - none
6. Future Business - Next Meeting Wednesday June 07, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
7. Adjournment at 10:25 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Dan Smith, Board Member