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Dear City, Appointed Representatives,

The Solano County Senior Coalition is an Advisory Board to the Solano County Board of Supervisors. Our mission is to advocate for and support efforts that improve and enrich the lives of Solano County Seniors. The vision of the Coalition is to make Solano County a place where seniors are healthy, safe, and secure; where they can share their skills and experience; and where they are valued and celebrated for their wisdom and contributions. The values of the Coalition are Inclusion, Wellness, Respect, Safety, and Leadership.

The Coalition meets on the first Friday of month from 10am to 12pm, with the expectation that all appointed members attend all meetings. The purpose of the meetings is the following:

1. to provide a forum for coordination of efforts and interagency cooperation
2. to promote awareness of issues affecting seniors and to inform them of the resources available
3. to recommend improvements in services affecting seniors and encourage and facilitate community support for seniors
4. and to establish priorities to facilitate better integration of senior services within Solano County.

The Coalition provides advice and recommendations to the Board of Supervisors regarding the adoption and implementation of Board policies and actions that may be necessary to accomplish the Coalition's purpose.

The Coalition has created events and programs focusing on Solano County seniors, including the annual Centenarian Celebration, Fall Prevention classes, and Savvy Saving Seniors program to name a few. Currently, the Coalition is developing a new work plan to identify key issues for seniors along with strategies and solutions to better serve Solano County's older adults.

We currently have several City appointee vacancies and are asking for your support to appoint an interested representative from your City to volunteer. The impact of having more active members increases the advocacy for our Solano County Seniors. *Volunteers make a difference!*

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or would like more information.

Respectfully,

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