

Senior Center Group
As per the flip charts

First: Everyone truly appreciates the senior staff

Comfort and Image:

“Shabby, dated, depressing, gloomy and nothing functions; even the door is broken”

Access and Linkages:

“More and better lighting, needs signage, restrooms are freezing cold, uncomfortable and in disrepair. Seniors need a shuttle bus to connect Civic Center to Downtown.”

Uses and Activities:

“Very limited hours and seating, cannot access almost anything; very little outdoors and indoors is small and looks like a garage sale nightmare” “This is shameful and disrespectful of us.”

“Sociability”

“Feels removed from Village, want more intergenerational activities, want more lawn games.”

Quick Fix:

- 1) LED lighting now
- 2) Bright colored and uniform furniture
- 3) Community Garden
- 4) Shuttle bus
- 5) Media resource or movie room
- 6) Replace ugly, dirty carpeting
- 7) Have a real coffee bar; import a vendor
- 8) Have a happy hour and a real pub. Call it the Triangle Pub (seniors said they would pay for real drinks in a pub)
- 9) Have food trucks come in for monthly ethnic food events
- 10) Paint everything fresh, bright colors
- 11) Create a “Clubby” feeling