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P R E S S R E L E A S E

New Bedford Council On Aging Photo ID Program Relocated to Hillman Street

New Bedford, Massachusetts- The New Bedford Council on Aging Photo ID Program has moved from 560 Pleasant St. to the Council on Aging Administrative Offices, effective immediately.

The Council on Aging Administrative Offices are located at 181 Hillman Street, Building #9 on the first floor (the old VOKE School). Photo ID services are available Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Anyone seeking a Photo ID must present two forms of identification, e.g., passport, birth certificate, State ID, Social Security Card, or Medicare Card, and proof of residency, e.g., a utility bill or correspondence displaying your name and address. A \$5.00 fee applies for each ID required.

When visiting the Council on Aging, New Bedford residents can also take advantage of the following services:

- Transportation Services (e.g., medical, shopping, personal) including Boston/Brockton Hospital appointments
- SHINE (health benefits)
- Medical Equipment loan out program
- Council On Aging Advisory Board Meetings (1st Thursday of the month)
- SeniorScope
- Council On Aging Coordinator (Health Benefits, Discretionary Grant, Housing, etc.)
- Senior Program Manager (all senior center activities & programs)
- Circuit Breaker

- Tax Information
- Friendly Visitor Program
- Friends Group information
- Christmas for the Elderly
- Visually Impaired Cookout
- Discretionary Grant for older single women

For more information please contact the Council on Aging at (508) 991-6252.

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