



**FLORIDA  
OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM**  
ADVOCATING FOR QUALITY LONG-TERM CARE

**MEETING MINUTES  
BREVARD COUNCIL  
EAST CENTRAL DISTRICT  
11/3/2022  
10:00 AM – 12:00 PM  
AGING MATTERS, 3600 W KING ST, COCOA, FL 32926**

<b>OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM REPRESENTATIVES</b>			
Ruth Battle-Hall	Present X	Robert Cochrane, DOM	Present X
Mary Denton	Present X	Joanne Veguilla, Administrative Secretary	Present X
Patricia Hamilton	Present X		
Donna Nagel	Present X		
Jackie Sigwart	Present <input type="checkbox"/>		
Dawn Small	Present <input type="checkbox"/>		

<b>GUEST(S)</b>
Katie Dozier – Chaplain

**OPEN SESSION**

- Called to order at **10:05 AM**
  - Open Session Statement
- Quorum Established:   X Yes    No  
Minutes Approved:    X Yes    No **(8/4/2022)**

**UPDATES/REPORTS**

- District Ombudsman Manager – Robert Cochrane
  - District manager encouraged volunteers to continue making resident visits and if it is necessary to do the assessments.
  - Volunteers were informed of two activities that will take place in Brevard County during the month of November, the first is Dr. John Potomski's 32nd Brevard County Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Symposium Set for Nov. 16 and the second activity will be Boomer Bash and Senior Expo on Nov. 17.
  - Volunteers were informed that Dawn Small will be away due to traveling to Ukraine to assist in hospitals as part of one of her volunteer jobs.

### **TRAINING**

- Katie Dozier – Chaplain Wuesthoff Brevard Hospice

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- Next Open Session Meeting will be February 2, 2023

### **NEW BUSINESS**

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### **PUBLIC COMMENTS** (limited to 5 minutes each)

- No public comments.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

- Meeting adjourned at **11:15 AM**

