



FLORIDA OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM

ADVOCATING FOR QUALITY LONG-TERM CARE

MEETING MINUTES

BREVARD COUNCIL

EAST CENTRAL DISTRICT

05/01/2025

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

AGING MATTERS, 3600 W KING ST, COCOA, FL 32926

OMBUDSMAN PROGRAM REPRESENTATIVES			
Patricia Hamilton	Present X	Joanne Veguilla, District Manager	Present X
Mary C Handlin	Present X	Olga Pargas	Present X
William Hardwick	Present <input type="checkbox"/>		
Kelly Kowal	Present <input type="checkbox"/>		
Vicki Northrup (OMB in training)	Present X		
Grace Palmer Allen	Present x		
Julie Seberry	Present <input type="checkbox"/>		

GUEST(S)

OPEN SESSION

- Called to order at 10:00 AM
 - Open Session Statement
- Quorum Established: X Yes ☐ No
Minutes Approved: X Yes ☐ No (02/06/2025)

UPDATES/REPORTS

- District Manager – Joanne Veguilla**
 - Joanne Veguilla, DOM, informed the volunteers that Vicki Northrup only needed one visit to complete her certification
 - The volunteers were informed that we are looking for speakers and topics that can be presented at the upcoming council meetings. They were asked if anyone knows of a speaker, to let us know so arrangements can be made.
 - The volunteers were presented with the list of facilities that needed to be visited and were unassigned to see if anyone wanted to take one and make the visit.

TRAINING

- Routine Access Visits

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Next Open Session Meeting will be Aug 7, 2025

NEW BUSINESS

- None

PUBLIC COMMENTS (limited to 5 minutes each)

- No public comments.

ADJOURNMENT

- Meeting adjourned at: 11:00 AM