

*Minutes of the
Community Outreach Committee
Eastern Connecticut Association of REALTORS®[®], Inc.
February 6, 2019*

In attendance: Melody Edelman, Shelita Petersen, Stephanie DeBiasi*, Chelsea Laukaitis, Pamela Mandelburg*, and Kathryn O'Leary.

*Attended via skype conference call

Absent: Carol Christiansen*, Michele Kripps*, Ellen Lockwood, Shirley Mostowy, Dorothy Satti* and Victoria Satti*.

*Excused absence

Chairperson Melody Edelman called the meeting to order at: 1:05 P.M.

1. **Committee Minutes:** M/S/C to accept the minutes of the January 9, 2019 meeting minutes as presented.
2. **Correspondence**
 - A. **TVCCA:** M/S/C to purchase a half page ad for the TVCCA's 9th annual Carnevale fundraising gala program book.
 - B. **Power of Together:** M/S/C to encourage ECAR members to participate in the Shoreline Power of Together program.
3. **Unfinished Business**
 - A. **HECM for Purchase Seminar:** M/S/C to decline conducting a joint HECM for Purchase seminar with Retirement Funding Solutions.
 - B. **Safe Futures:** M/S/C to invite Alice from Safe Futures to the March 5th Community Outreach Committee meeting. The goal is to assess the needs of the organization and possibly participate as a drop off venue for donations.
 - C. **Full Plate Food Pantry:** M/S/C to hold a Full Plate Food Pantry drive in the Fall at a membership meeting. The Committee discussed holding a drawing at the membership meeting. Anyone who makes a donation would be entered into the drawing.
 - D. **Action Plan:** M/S/C to accept the action plan (see attached) as presented.
4. **New Business**
 - A. **Grants:** M/S/C to table the Placemaking and NAR Housing grants to the March 5th committee meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:30 P.M.

The next meeting will be on March 5, 2019 at 1pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathryn O'Leary
Communication & Education Coordinator