HAWAII AREA 17 WINTER Committee Meeting February 26, 2022 <u>https://area17aa.org/</u>

## **Standing Committee Report**

## **CEC = Cooperation with the Elder Community**

RESOURCES for GSRs: <a href="https://area17aa.org/area-committees/cooperation-with-the-elder-community-cec/">https://area17aa.org/area-committees/cooperation-with-the-elder-community-cec/</a>

## Mary N/Chair gave brief update

I have had 2 committee members respond to requests for involvement. Doing some local work, and greatly appreciated, on their own!

If you are assigned to this committee, please reach out to Mary at <u>CEC@area17aa.org</u> or 808 265 3398

Mary has joined the Accessibility Monthly (out of DC area) meeting and been in conversations with Kathi K who is sharing what is happening around the country. Mary is trying to reach out to other chairs of CEC groups around the country and collect what is working for them.... Has sent a note to GSO to ask to be connected to other CEC chairs. No response yet.

## Refresh on our plans:

NEW: Review and potential REFRESH of the CEC workbook ... attached and written in 2011. Mary would welcome your eyes and commitment to review together!

Suggested ideas on how to research senior facilities.

- How can we support what each district could do with CEC?
- How can we get seniors on ZOOM meeting? Availability of
- Send GRAPEVINE SUBSCRIPTIONS into those facilities!?
- Jail experience FYI can only receive directly through mail
- Nursing homes, retirement facilities ... does mailing need to come from company or private address? (ADD to survey?)

What about those seniors who can't / won't get onto zoom?

- One on one contact is one solution and make assignments for check in.
- District 8 ran Senior Workshop on virtual meetings. Mary to reach out to Kerwin/DCM for district 8.

This group has additional challenges for the tech and the lockdown!