

December 27, 2005

TO: Planning and Budget Committee

FROM: Ted Stevens

SUBJECT: Area Plan Objectives: Continuing Discussion

At its December 13, 2005 meeting, staff presented a suggested list of 2006-07 Area Plan Objectives to Committee members. Staff asked members to review them in advance of the January 10, 2006 Committee meeting and to be prepared to offer corrections, additions, or deletions at that time.

To facilitate members' review of the Objectives suggested by staff, they are re-printed below.

1. Continue to assist seniors and people with disabilities secure prescription drug benefits under Part D of Medicare and assistance programs operated by pharmaceutical manufacturers.
2. Update S&DS' disaster preparedness plan and, as part of this work, coordinate S&DS' plans with local public and private non-profit agencies.
3. In preparation for the development of the 2008-2012 Area Plan on Aging and Disabilities, re-assess the needs of Lane County's seniors and people with disabilities.
4. Continue to pursue activities designed to generate non-public sources of support for services for seniors and people with disabilities.
5. Continue outreach efforts directed to minority seniors.