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Dear AAA Board & Committee members:

We held our first of two Advisory Council (virtual) meetings today kicking-off the 2022-2024 Dane County Aging Plan! Please check out the status of our efforts on the AAA website: 2022-2024 Dane County Aging Plan (<https://dcdhs.com/Aging-Plan-Development>). This site will be updated to reflect ongoing efforts.

The website includes:

- Instructions
- Timeline
- Advisory Council ([today's PowerPoint is posted here](#))
- Surveys (to include Online Link, Paper (to download and print), Focus Groups or Individual Interview Questions & Discussion Guide, Email Invitation to Online Survey (to copy & paste), and a "Make Your Voice Count" announcement for newsletters/social media posts)
- Resources

We have set a goal of hearing from **500 voices in 40 days**—or by July 31st. To do this, we need your help. [Would you consider sending the email drafted below to Dane County older adults in your contacts—your friends, neighbors, family members...](#)

Subject: Have your say in plans important to older adults in Dane County

Body:

I am passing along the following request from the Area Agency on Aging (AAA) of Dane County. I serve on the [\[insert AAA Board, AAA Access Committee, AAA Legislative/Advocacy Committee, AAA Nutrition/Wellness Committee\]](#). Please read and consider responding to their survey. I appreciate your help.

The Area Agency on Aging of Dane County wants to hear from you! We are developing the 2022-2024 plan for supporting aging adults in Dane County. This plan impacts funding of programs and services for older adults living in Dane County. As an older adult or someone who helps care for an older adult, you are exactly who we want to hear from.

Please take a few minutes to complete this [online survey](#) and tell us what you need. Your survey response is anonymous. (Link not working? Put this into your favorite Internet browser: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/DCAging_2022_2024)

We welcome you forwarding this invitation to friends and family who are older adults living in Dane County. You can also pass it along to anyone who helps an older adult living in Dane County. You can access the survey as many times as you want from the link in this email. This means you and anyone else in your household can take the survey from the same computer, tablet, or phone using the link in this email. We encourage everyone to fill out a survey for themselves to make sure their individual voice is heard. The more people we can hear from the better!

Thank you for your input which will help us create a person-centered aging plan for Dane County. For updates on the plan, visit <https://www.dcdhs.com/Aging-Plan-Development> at any time.

I attached an announcement if you wish to post this on your social media pages and the survey if you wish to print and handout. Surveys must be completed by July 31st. Completed paper copies can be scanned and emailed directly to me (Batterman.Cheryl@countyofdane.com), faxed (283-2995), or mailed to my address listed below.

Let me know if you have any questions or need help ☺

