## **BOCC APPROVED FEBRUARY 3, 2021**

## 3. SENIOR SHOPPING & DELIVERY SERVICE -- DEPARTMENT ON AGING FUNDING -- DEPARTMENT ON AGING

(Request sent to 10 vendors)

RFP #20-0071 Contract

	Senior Services, Inc. of Wichita		
Delivery fee	\$13.00 per delivery		
No Bid	Costco	Sam's Club	Wal-Mart

On the recommendation of Jaimee Witmer, on behalf of the Department on Aging, Anna Meyerhoff moved to accept the quote from Senior Services, Inc. of Wichita at the above listed rate good through December 31, 2021. Linda Kizzire seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

A committee comprised of Stacy Nilles, Annette Graham, Dorsha Kirksey, and Michelle Stroot - Department on Aging; and Jaimee Witmer - Purchasing; reviewed the proposal response based on criteria set forth in the RFP and recommend Senior Services, Inc. of Wichita.

The Sedgwick County Department on Aging is seeking a creative, efficient, and an updated model for older adults who are unable to shop on their own, and order groceries and household items to be delivered to their homes. The Senior Shopping & Delivery Service is a grocery delivery service for anyone age 60 years of age or older and is a resident of Sedgwick County, Kansas. The person must be a homebound individual not currently receiving assistance through other agencies, family, volunteers, neighbors, or churches. Older adult participants will be responsible for paying for grocery items and Sedgwick County will pay the service fee for the ordering and delivery of items.

## Note:

The goal of this program is to serve at least 180 seniors within the budget of \$53,300.00.

## **Questions and Answers**

Ellen House: They are bidding \$13.00 per delivery? Dillons, Aldis, and Target all do it for \$9.99 a delivery.

Stacy Nilles: Our thought was we didn't get very many other bids. Plus it's not alot of money for larger corperations to provide this service so they were not interested. The person calls in the order to Senior Services then Senior Services takes down the order and puts it in the system. Dillons does the shopping. Senior Services will pick up the items and deliver it to the home.