

SUPPORT THE FOGGY BOTTOM/ WEST END AGING IN PLACE PROJECT

The FB/WE Aging in Place Project was designated as a special committee of the Foggy Bottom Association in July 2011 pending creation of a permanent FB/WE Village.

*If you wish to support ongoing efforts to create a permanent Village,
please submit a check payable to:*

Foggy Bottom Association
designating "Aging in Place Project"
on the check.

Checks may be mailed to:

FBA
PO Box 58087
Washington, DC 20037-8087

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR
SUPPORT!**

*All contributions made to the Foggy Bottom Association,
a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization,
are considered fully tax deductible.*

Foggy Bottom / West End Aging in Place Project

A Special Committee of the Foggy Bottom Association

Background

As residents of the Foggy Bottom and West End neighborhoods mature and empty-nesters move in, some neighbors decided to explore the possibility of creating a "Village", the product of a national movement that started in Beacon Hill, Boston, MA.

(A "Village" is a grass roots organization created for the purpose of providing elder adults lifestyle choices that include their desire to continue to live in their own homes with independence and dignity.)

Interim Board

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Mission Statement

The goals of the Interim Board are:

- To determine the interest and need in Foggy Bottom/West End for an organization to provide the services and expertise residents desire to live safely and comfortably in their own homes throughout their lives; and
- To establish a structure that will be charged with implementing this vision.

Potential Membership Benefits

- The Village, a membership organization for residents who are 50+, fosters neighborhood socialization and residential stability by providing avenues for social engagement and services that allow members to remain in their residence as long as possible.
- Benefits may include social gatherings (e.g., cultural events, book clubs, fitness programs, parties, etc.) as well as volunteer services (e.g., pharmacy pickup, transportation to medical appointments, resolving computer issues, or other tasks involving day-to-day living).
- Membership fees will be established based on program costs and to facilitate access for everyone wishing to participate.