

Kommunfullmäktige Sammanträdesdatum 2022-03-28

§ 67 Application for membership in who's global Network for age-friendly cities

Reference number 2021-00429

Decision

City Council decides to apply for membership in WHO's global networks for elderly-friendly cities.

Case summary

The Nursing Board has identified a need for Söderhamn Municipality as a whole, collectively, work proactively to become a better city to live and aging in. Society is facing a major demographic change where the proportion of older people are increasing in relation to the population. In 2010, the WHO created a worldwide network of elderly-friendly cities.

For membership in the network there are no fees, but it requires that the city, via an application, closes up behind the intention to develop an elderly-friendly city. Through the membership, opportunities for international exchange in the field, to take part in the development experiences of others, but it is also expected that the city shares its own experiences.

The Nursing Board proposes that Söderhamn municipality apply for membership in who's global network for elderly-friendly cities. The Municipal Executive Board proposes that the City Council approve the nursing board's proposal.

Decision-making process

The chairman submits the matter for decision and finds that the city council decides according to the minutes of the municipal board.

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