

# changing lives

2021 Annual Report  
to the Community



**MEALS on WHEELS**  
FAIRFIELD COUNTY



Our foundress, Sister Lucille Stewart, believed a hot meal delivered with love and respect would provide sustenance to the body and nourishment for the soul. Since its humble beginnings some 48 years ago, Meals on Wheels of Fairfield County, has operated under the same belief that the actions of one individual in caring for another can make a significant and meaningful difference.

During 2021, with the help of our Board of Trustees, volunteers, and donors, we were able to make a difference in the lives of over 2,500 seniors in a variety of ways. First and foremost, the agency remained open amidst a second year of a world-wide pandemic. Through the commitment of our dedicated staff and our loyal army of volunteers, Meals on Wheels consistently delivered services to vulnerable seniors throughout the county. Our innovative approach to providing socialization to seniors continued with virtual bingo, virtual activities, and tele-friend services. As you read through this report, you will be amazed at the volume of care provided to our seniors. Your efforts and the efforts of our community, made all the difference in keeping Fairfield County seniors healthy, connected, and independent!

The past year presented challenges as the pandemic continued bringing surges in cases, new disease variants, labor and supply shortages, supply chain issues, and increased costs. In addition, the agency undertook a roof replacement project to address our faulty roofing system so as to protect our investment and ensure a safe and healthy environment for our operations. Through diligent planning, innovative approaches, and attention to budget, we were able to end the year in a positive position.

"Thank you" seems such small words to use for expressing my gratitude for the caring hearts and helpful hands of our Board, our staff, our volunteers, and our donors who chose to make a difference for others. I want to express my sincere appreciation to each person who gave of their time, energy, and resources to help ensure the well-being of our seniors and help them to overcome the challenges of aging which enables them to remain living in their own homes, where they want to be. Together, we continue to make a difference for those who need us most. Thank you.

In Gratitude,

*Anna Tobin*

Anna Tobin  
Executive Director





**2591**  
**Lives**  
**Changed**



**692 seniors**  
**protected with**  
**emergency**  
**response**  
**systems**



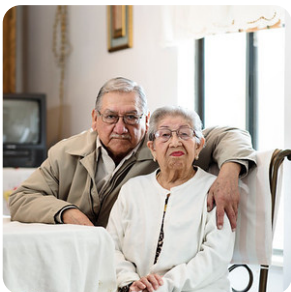
**274 veterans**  
**received**  
**assistance**



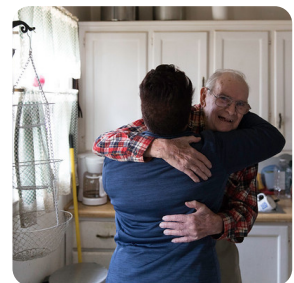
**296,473**  
**meals served**  
**to seniors in**  
**need**



**1,390 trips**  
**provided to**  
**ensure**  
**seniors needs**  
**were met**



**7,481 hours**  
**in-home**  
**services**  
**provided**



**28,074 units**  
**supportive services**  
**provided:**

Tele-friend, Case management,  
Shopping assistance, Payee  
services, Client Activities, Pet  
Support, Medical Equipment,  
Home Repair, Utility Assistance  
& Information/referral





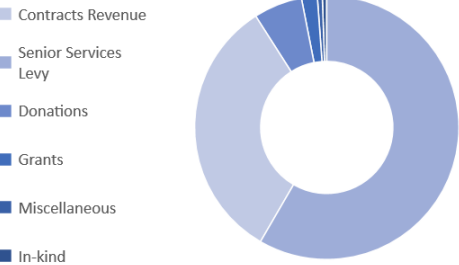
# changing lives of those we serve





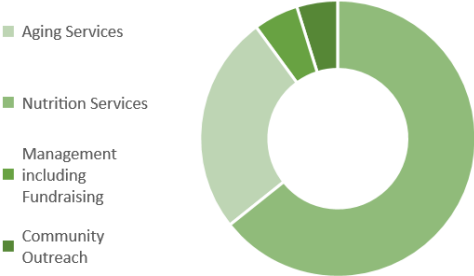
# Agency Financials

## REVENUE AND SUPPORT



Contracts Revenue	\$1,582,167
Senior Services Levy	\$2,833,079
Donations	\$288,901
Grants	\$94,100
Miscellaneous	\$29,183
In-kind	<u>\$26,576</u>
Total	\$4,854,006

## FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES



Aging Services	\$902,926
Nutrition Services	\$2,266,769
Management	\$185,553
Community Outreach	<u>\$170,000</u>
Total	\$3,525,248

The financial information presented in this report was prepared by management of Meals on Wheels and has not been audited by an external auditor. Audited financial will be available later in the year.

*Your support helps change lives for the better.*

## Donors supporting the Roof Replacement Project

Fox Family Foundation-Robert & Elizabeth Fox	Knights of Columbus Post #31016
Wendel Family Fund- Fairfield County Foundation	Pickerington Lion's Club
Stevenson Fund-Columbus Foundation	Fairfield Federal Savings & Loan
South Central Power-Operation Round Up	Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Shiltz
Marten's Fund -PNC Charitable Foundation	Park National Bank
Women's Giving Circle-Fairfield County Foundation	Jeremy & Kristin Powell
Ken and Suzanne Culver	Joe & Christa Moody
Gordon Snider	Clarko Bingo
Janet and Larry Friend-in memory of Spec Reed Edward Davis	Claypool Electric
James Luse	Barbara Johnson
MidWest Fabricating	Bob Boyd Auto Family
Buckeye Honda	Delbert Bontrager
Gale Barry	Ruth Knoll & Nance Vanberg
Gary and Dana Kern	Bette Mauller
Jim and Jan Vickroy	Margie Donnell
Ed & Beverly Rowles	Ethel Messerknecht
Penny L. Wasem CPA,CFP,PFS-Lifetime Financial Planning	Howard & Tawny Sniderman
Lee Jewitt	Dolores Siemer
Helen Harding	Lancaster Tarhe Lion's Club
Fairfield Spine and Rehab-Jennifer DePietro	Donna Fox-Moore
Rushville Lion's Club	Veteran's of Foreign War Post #1380
Jim Spears	MPW Pro Kleen
Sherman Rotary	Edward & Gene Svoda
	Scott & Christy Mueller
	Bernice Detwiler

Our apology if a name was excluded from the list of annual campaign donors.  
Every gift designated toward the roof project will be used in accordance with the donor's intention.



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Executive Director, Anna Tobin  
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Director of Aging Services, Linda McDonald

**SERVING  
SENIORS  
FOR 48  
YEARS**

## Mission:

To enable independent living and improved quality of life for older adults in Fairfield County.

## Vision:

To provide nutritional services, encourage social interaction, and to act as a catalyst to develop, expand, and sustain a coordinated, countywide system of services and to facilitate access to services for the seniors of Fairfield County.



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