

MINNESOTA RIVER AREA AGENCY ON AGING[®], INC.

2009 TITLE III GRANTS AND CONTRACTS

Title III Older Americans Act funds are awarded by MNRAAA through grants/contracts to local public and/or non-profit organizations to develop or expand services for older persons (60+) and their caregivers. Funds are to be used to expand the range of community-based programs and services designed to maintain the independence of older persons in a home environment, to fill gaps in existing services and to contribute to the development of a comprehensive and coordinated system of services. **For more information contact:** Rhonda Hiller Fjeldberg, Grant/Contract Manager
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TITLE III-B SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Project: Legal Advocacy for Older Americans Project
Contractor: Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services, Inc.
Services Provided: Legal Assistance and Legal Education
Counties Served: 27 counties of MNRAAA
Contact Person: Ray Beckel **Telephone:** 507.387.5588

Project: One to One Peer Counseling
Grantee: Western Mental Health Center
Service Provided: Counseling
Counties Served: Lyon, Murray, Redwood
Contact Person: Rosanne Lasnetski **Telephone:** 507.337.4922 ext: 22

Project: Volunteer Driver Program
Contractor: Meeker County Council on Aging
Service Provided: Transportation
County Served: Meeker
Contact Person: Donna Whitcomb **Telephone:** 320.693.2718

Project: Senior Transportation
Contractor: Renville County Human Services
Service Provided: Transportation
County Served: Renville
Contact Person: Rachel Schneiderman **Telephone:** 320.523.3589

Project: K.A.T. Senior Transportation Program
Contractor: Kandiyohi Area Transit
Service Provided: Transportation
County Served: Kandiyohi
Contact Person: Tiffany Collins **Telephone:** 320.214.7433

Project: Prairie Five RIDES
Contractor: Prairie Five CAC, Inc.
Service Provided: Transportation
Counties Served: Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Swift, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Richard Olson **Telephone:** 320.269.6578

Project: Montevideo Chore Service
Grantee: City of Montevideo
Service Provided: Chore
County Served: Chippewa
Contact Person: Diane Ostlie **Telephone:** 320.269.9375

Project: Granite Falls Intergenerational Chore Service
Grantee: Yellow Medicine East Community Education
Service Provided: Chore
Counties Served: Chippewa, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Cindy Velde **Telephone:** 320.564.0947

Project: Caring Connection
Grantee: VINE Faith in Action
Service Provided: Counseling
County Served: Blue Earth, Nicollet
Contact Person: Mary O'Sullivan **Telephone:** 507.387.1666

Project: Somali Elder Asset Center Services
Grantee: Coalition of African Community Services
Service Provided: Counseling
County Served: Kandiyohi
Contact Person: Abdi Duh **Telephone:** 320.223.3510

Project: Delivery to Your Door
Grantee: Prairie Five CAC, Inc.
Service Provided: Homemaker
Counties Served: Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Swift, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Gail Jerve **Telephone:** 320.269.7512

TOTAL 2009 Title III-B Awards: \$236,711

TITLE III-D HEALTH PROMOTION AND DISEASE PREVENTION SERVICES

Project: Medication Management
Grantee: VINE Faith in Action
Service Provided: Medication Management
Counties Served: Blue Earth, Le Sueur, Nicollet
Contact Person: Karen Christy **Telephone:** 507.345.5262

TOTAL 2009 Title III-D Award: \$17,520

TITLE III-E NATIONAL FAMILY CAREGIVER SUPPORT SERVICES

Project: IFC Caregiver Coaching Project
Grantee: Interfaith Caregivers . Faith in Action in Faribault County
Service Provided: Caregiver Counseling (assessment, education, training, support, etc.)
Counties Served: Faribault, Martin
Contact Person: Helen Tesch **Telephone:** 507.526.4684

Project: Brown County Caregiver Education Program
Grantee: Volunteers of America dba Adult Day Services/Volunteers for Seniors of Brown Co.
Service Provided: Caregiver Counseling (training, education, support, etc.)
County Served: Brown
Contact Person: Julie Terrell **Telephone:** 507.354.5370

Project: Wellspring Family Caregiver Project
Grantee: Wellspring Faith in Action
Service Provided: Caregiver Counseling (training, education, support groups, etc.)
County Served: Watonwan
Contact Person: Sharon Dexheimer **Telephone:** 507.375.1276

Project: RSVP Respite Care
Grantee: RSVP of Southwest Minnesota
Service Provided: In-Home Respite
Counties Served: Cottonwood, Lincoln, Murray, Nobles, Redwood, Rock
Contact Person: Robin Weis **Telephone:** 507.836.8547 ext: 112

Project: LSS Caregiver Support and Respite Program
Grantee: Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota
Services Provided: Caregiver Counseling (education, training, support groups, etc.) and In-Home Respite
Counties Served: Kandiyohi, McLeod, Meeker, Renville
Contact Person: Jan Novotny **Telephone:** 320.222.9271

Project: Prairie Five CARE
Grantee: Prairie Five CAC, Inc.
Service Provided: Caregiver Counseling (training, education, support groups, etc.)
Counties Served: Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Swift, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Gail Jerve **Telephone:** 320.269.7512

TOTAL 2009 Title III-E Awards: \$134,704

TITLE III-C1 CONGREGATE MEALS

Project: LSS Congregate Meals Program
Contractor: Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota
Service Provided: Congregate Meals
Counties Served: Blue Earth, Brown, Cottonwood, Faribault, Jackson, Kandiyohi, Le Sueur, Lincoln, Lyon, Martin, McLeod, Meeker, Murray, Nicollet, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, Renville, Rock, Sibley, Waseca, Watonwan
Contact Person: Monica Douglas **Telephone:** 218.233.7521

Project: Prairie Five Congregate Meals Program
Contractor: Prairie Five CAC, Inc.
Service Provided: Congregate Meals
Counties Served: Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Swift, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Gail Jerve **Telephone:** 320.269.7512

TOTAL 2009 Title III-C1 Awards: \$897,234

TITLE III-C2 HOME DELIVERED MEALS

Project: LSS Home Delivered Meals Program
Contractor: Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota
Service Provided: Home Delivered Meals
Counties Served: Blue Earth, Brown, Cottonwood, Faribault, Jackson, Kandiyohi, Le Sueur, Lincoln, Lyon, Martin, McLeod, Meeker, Murray, Nicollet, Nobles, Pipestone, Redwood, Renville, Rock, Sibley, Waseca, Watonwan
Contact Person: Monica Douglas **Telephone:** 218.233.7521

Project: Prairie Five Home Delivered Meals Program
Contractor: Prairie Five CAC, Inc.
Service Provided: Home Delivered Meals
Counties Served: Big Stone, Chippewa, Lac qui Parle, Swift, Yellow Medicine
Contact Person: Gail Jerve **Telephone:** 320.269.7512

TOTAL 2009 Title III-C2 Awards: \$386,040
