

Lumpkin County Senior Center 2019 Annual Report

A. The Senior Center has three main areas of service:

1. Nutrition Services: hot meals are served five days a week at the Center to participants enrolled in the Congregate Meal program; hot and/or frozen meals are delivered five days a week to home bound participants enrolled in the Home Delivered (Meals on Wheels) program.
2. Activities and Wellness Programs: Social, educational and wellness related programs and activities are available five days a week to Congregate Meal participants (age 60+) and to the general public (age 55+).
3. Transportation: Transportation services are provided to participants enrolled in the Congregate Meal program (transport services include trips to and from the Center, personal and medical errands and special outings).

B. Funding

The Senior Center has several funding sources, (1) Contract with Legacy Link, Inc. to secure Federal and State funds, (2) Contract with Deanna, Inc. to secure Federal and State funds, (3) Tivity Health (Silver Sneakers) Reimbursement Contract, (5) Fees for specified services provided, (6) County taxes, used to match Federal and State Funds and to off-set expenses not covered by contracted funds, (7) Donations, and (8) Fundraising.

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT

Lumpkin County was awarded a \$595,726 Georgia Community Development Block Grant in late 2017 for an expansion and renovation to the Senior Center. Construction was completed in November, 2019. The expansion included the addition of 3,600 square feet of space to include a multipurpose activity room to be used for a variety of wellness activities and a fitness equipment room. Renovations included expanding the dining room space to accommodate the growing lunch nutrition program as well as expansion of the kitchen for more efficient use of space to serve lunch time participants and Meals on Wheels clients.

