

## *A Message from Amy Flynn*

Dear friends,

Today will be my last day as CEO of Meals on Wheels of Mercer County (MOWMC). The honor of serving in this position for the past 15 months has been profound. This amazing MOWMC family of staff, board, participants, volunteers and funders has made a significant impact on me personally and professionally - so much has been learned and shared in the work.



I am grateful to the whole MOWMC team for supporting my efforts on behalf of our participants. While our time together was short, we accomplished much thanks to all your good work. Meals on Wheels of Mercer County served over 120,000 meals in 2024, making an important impact in overcoming the twin challenges of food insecurity and social isolation faced by so many.

Next week, I will assume my new role as CEO at the Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (TASK). My hope is to take all that I have learned at MOWMC and build on the special legacy of service at TASK. Moving forward, the two organizations will continue to partner and collaborate to address food insecurity in our community. While we cannot feed people out of poverty, we must make nutrition available to those who are hungry and without other options available to them. That will continue to be the priority.

In closing, I want to thank the MOWMC Board of Trustees for its confidence in my experience and for inviting me to be a part of this important work. Thank you to MOWMC Chief Operating Officer, Beth Englezos for stepping in as Interim CEO during the transition, and to the whole MOWMC team – staff and volunteers, for all the great work you have done and will continue to do. While I look forward to this next important opportunity to serve in my life, I will continue to be your partner in this work now and forever. I remain always a part of the MOWMC community.

Yours in service,

Amy Flynn

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# Happy New Year!

As we are a couple of weeks into 2025, these are our new years goals.

- Recruit more dedicated volunteers
- Ensure that no senior in our community has to be on a waitlist for meal delivery
- Increase our fundraising efforts so that we can continue to serve
- Expand our reach in the community

In 2024, Meals on Wheels of Mercer County has served over 120,000 meals to our neighbors in the community, and we expect that number to rise significantly in 2025.

With 450 participants on our program, the need for meals in our community is high, and we need your help in the coming year. Help us reach our goals by donating, volunteering or simply spreading the word about our mission.

Stay in the know with us to see updates throughout the year! Together, we can help our neighbors in Mercer County, one meal at a time.

*If you or someone you love is interested in enrolling in the meal delivery program [CLICK HERE](#).*

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## Shoutout to our Volunteers!

*The weather outside was frightful, but our volunteers were so delightful!*

In December, our dedicated volunteers delivered holiday cheer with their festive jingle bells! MOWMC appreciates all our volunteers who took the time out of their days during the busiest time of year.





MOWMC was open Monday, Dec. 23rd, to deliver nearly 3,300 meals for the whole week, including weekend meals for those who were signed up to receive them.

Our office was also open Monday, Dec. 30th to deliver meals for the New Years Eve and New Years Day. A huge thank you to *Eat Clean Bro* for providing us with meals during Rider University's holiday closures.

We are so grateful for the support and understanding from our volunteers and participants during our holiday office closures.  
Thank you!

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## Volunteers Needed!

We need **YOUR** help!

Looking for dedicated delivery volunteers to make a difference for our neighbors in need!

Serving over 450 seniors in our community, we need **YOUR** help to deliver nutritious meals and friendly connections.

Meals are delivered Monday through Friday from 10 am to 12 pm.

We offer **flexible scheduling** and are seeking regular volunteers who can commit to helping weekly or at least once a month!



*If you would like to volunteer to deliver meals to our neighbors in need  
[CLICK HERE.](#)*

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## Love our work? Let us know!

You have an opportunity to help us make an even bigger difference in our community. Great Nonprofits — the #1 Source of Nonprofit Stories and Feedback — is honoring highly regarded nonprofits with their 2025 Top-Rated List.

Help us boost visibility for our work by posting a brief personal story of

**your experience with us.** All content will be visible to potential donors and volunteers. It's easy and only takes 3 minutes! [CLICK HERE](#) to get started!

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## Donations



If you would like to make a donation  
**In Memory or In Honor** of someone,  
you may do so by selecting the type of 'Tribute Gift'  
on our donation page.

*Please leave details regarding names and acknowledgement.*

Check our [website](#) for quarterly updated acknowledgements for tribute dedications.  
(currently listing donations received July 1, 2024 though September 30, 2024)

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You can also set up **recurring monthly giving.**

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