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Senior Services Center of Will County to Host Mayors for Meals Day on March 24, 2010

(Joliet), (IL) (3/18/2010) – The Senior Services Center of Will County announced today that it will be holding Mayors For Meals Day as a part of its March For Meals campaign. **Troy Township Supervisor Joseph Baltz; Lockport Township Supervisor Judy Batusich; New Lenox Township Supervisor William McCollum; and Kimberly Coker from Harrah’s Casino**, will be participating in the event to show their support for the community’s seniors.

“We are excited about having the Township Supervisors and Ms. Coker participate in our event. We hope to raise awareness and recruit as many people as we possibly can to join us in the national movement to end senior hunger” said Melissa O’Brien, Nutrition Director. These Township Supervisors and the Harrah’s Casino have been involved with our program in the past and the national Mayors For Meals Day is an excellent way to continue our relationship.

March For Meals is a national campaign, initiated by Meals On Wheels Association of America (MOWAA), which seeks to raise awareness of senior hunger and to encourage action on the part of the local community. Senior nutrition programs across the United States, like the Senior Services Center of Will County, promote March For Meals in their local communities through public events, partnerships with local businesses, volunteer recruitment, and fundraising initiatives. Mayors For Meals Day is a component of March For Meals that utilizes the involvement of local Mayors and other local elected officials.

For more information, call the Senior Services Center at 815-723-9713 or visit www.willcountyseniors.org. The Center is a United Way of Will & Grundy Counties Agency.
