



# 2025 Annual Report

Being that I no longer  
cook, these meals are  
God send and everyone that  
delivers these meals is very  
friendly and caring.

Thanks, very much,  
for all you do, and being such  
a big help to me.

Happy New Year  
to each and everyone of  
you.

2025 was a year of meaningful transition and renewed purpose for Corning Meals on Wheels. Like many in our community, we faced rising food costs that reached unprecedented levels. At the same time, our team experienced significant change: we celebrated the well-earned retirements of our Kitchen Manager Therese LaDouce in May and Executive Director David Smith in October. We welcomed our new Executive Director Katrina Manning in September whose energy and enthusiasm will carry forward the strong foundation that has been created.

Even amid change, our commitment to serving seniors in the Corning-Painted Post area continued. This year, 55 new and returning volunteers stepped forward to serve with preparing and delivering meals while also offering connection to our neighbors. While the meals we provide are means for people to age in place, it is the compassion and dedication of our volunteers that truly make the difference.

As we enter our 60th year of service, we remain steadfast in our promise to care for our homebound seniors. With gratitude for the community that sustains us, we look ahead to 2026 with hope, resilience, and a renewed commitment to the mission that has guided us for six decades.



*“The individuals who deliver my meals are very prompt, helpful and most of all very friendly.”*

**Number of Miles Driven:**

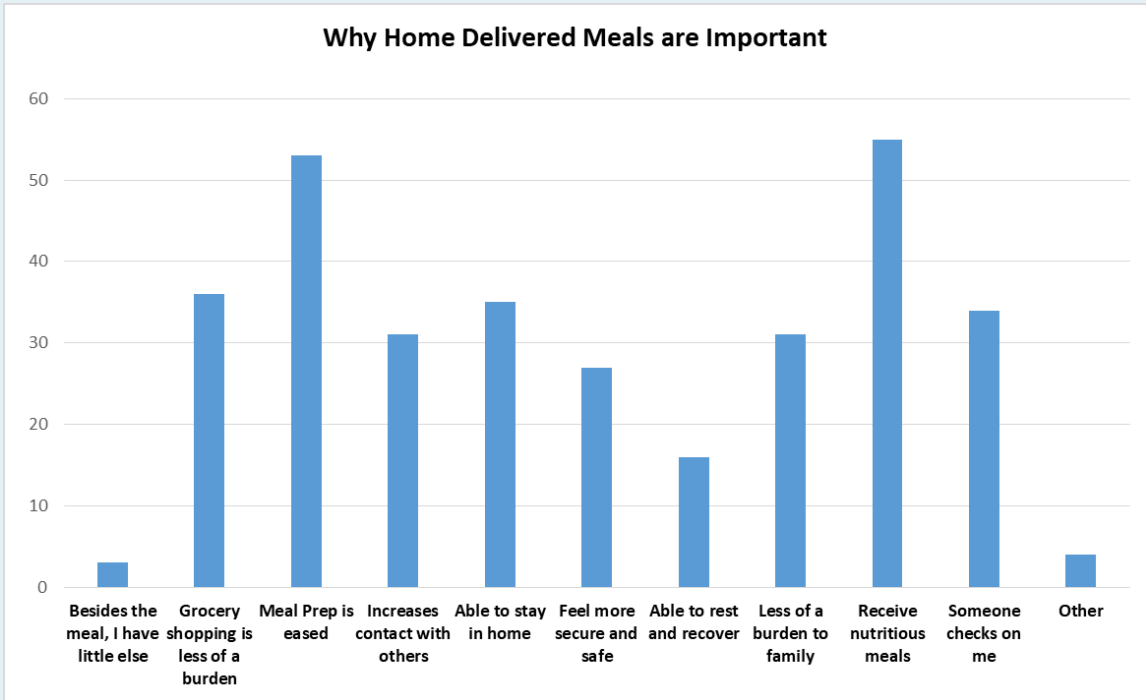
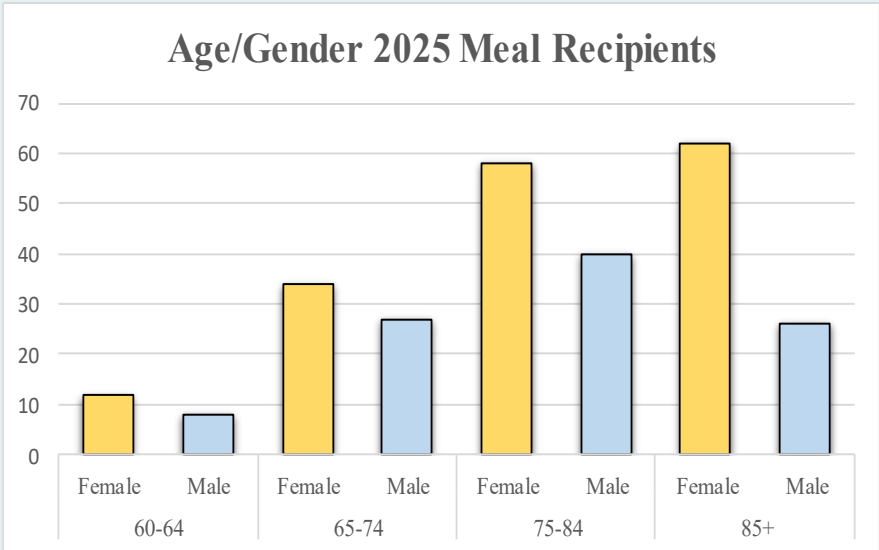
**48,000**

**Hours Volunteered:**

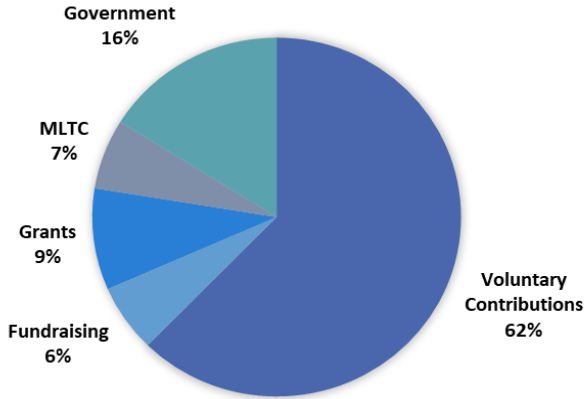
**18,814**

**Number of Meals Delivered:**

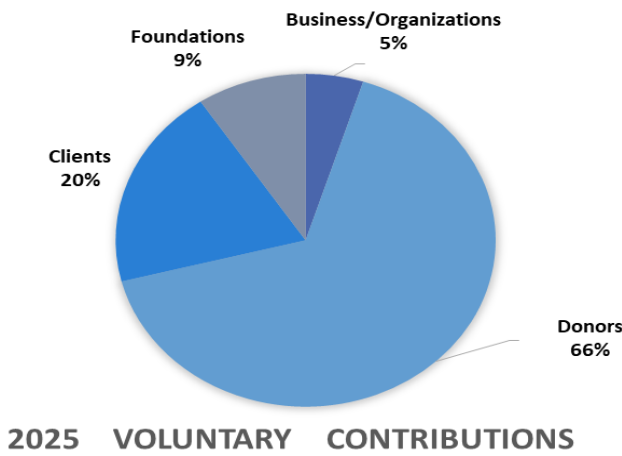
**57,591**



### 2025 REVENUE SOURCES



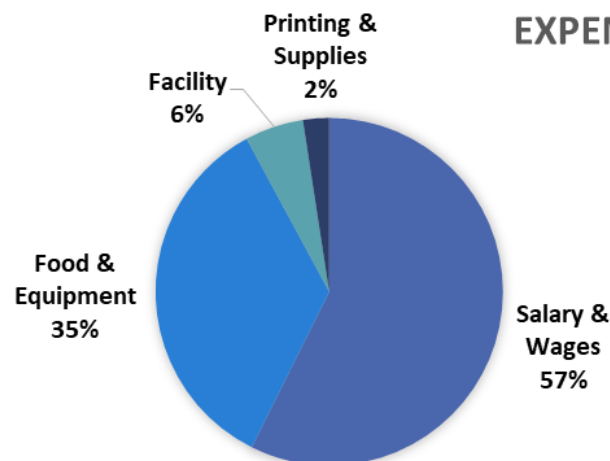
*We faced uncertainty in how the Federal freeze on funding programs like Meals on Wheels would impact, however our volunteers, staff, and board of directors at Corning Meals on Wheels remained committed to continuing our current level of service without interruption.*



### 2025 VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS

*We depend mainly on contributions from those receiving the meals or their loved ones and on the generosity of the community through direct donations, fundraisers, civic and church groups, giving through the United Way of the Southern Tier, and other local grant programs.*

### EXPENSES





A meal, and  
so much more.



WE ARE  
**Meals On Wheels**  
*so no senior goes hungry.*

Volunteers Needed! Call (607) 962-7985  
or visit [www.emowheels.com](http://www.emowheels.com)

Thank you for supporting our area seniors!