

**FROM THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
AND  
EXECUTIVE COORDINATOR OF  
SENIOR RESOURCES**

Ottawa County Senior Resources thanks the citizens of Ottawa County for their continued support of our department. Through your support, the first levy was passed by Ottawa County citizens in November 2004 and renewed in November 2007. Ottawa County Senior Resources is under the direct supervision of the Ottawa County Board of Commissioners.

Ottawa County Senior Resources is proud of its accomplishments, especially the commitment and support from the Ottawa County Senior Advisory Committee, a committee of seniors from across the county that met the first Wednesday of every month in 2007. The Advisory Committee has been instrumental in the planning and implementation of senior programs in Ottawa County.

In 2007, Senior Resources maintained the operation of our six senior centers. Five of the six senior centers continue to provide the meal program which is directed by the Area Office on Aging of Northwest Ohio Congregate Grant Program. The suggested donation for those 60 and older, remained at \$2.50 for 2007. The sites continue to welcome anyone under the age of 60 for a meal cost of \$5.00.

Other accomplishments for 2007 included maintenance and expansion of our home delivered meal service, establishment of a care office for OPTIONS for Independence Home Care Program, continued development, in cooperation with Riverview Healthcare Campus, of *DayBreak* Ottawa County's ONLY adult day service program, Medicare Part D assistance, aiding in the establishment of the 60+ clinic at Put-in-Bay Senior center, creation of the Senior Resources website, and last, but certainly not least, assisting Ottawa County seniors, their families, and caregivers to utilize the services and programs of our county.

Sincerely,

Carl Koebel, 2007 President  
Steven M Arndt  
James M. Sass

OTTAWA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Dianne Martin Mortensen  
EXECUTIVE COORDINATOR OF SENIOR RESOURCES

**2006 RECEIPTS**

Senior Services Levy  
0.3 Mills = \$464,445

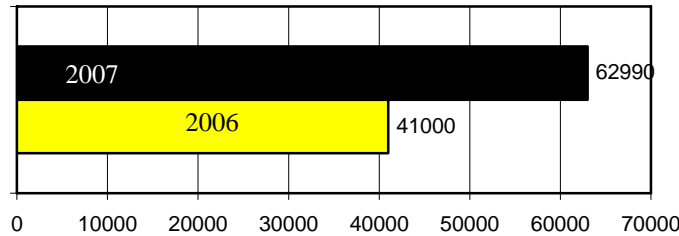
Other Receipts = \$223,876

**2007 RECEIPTS**

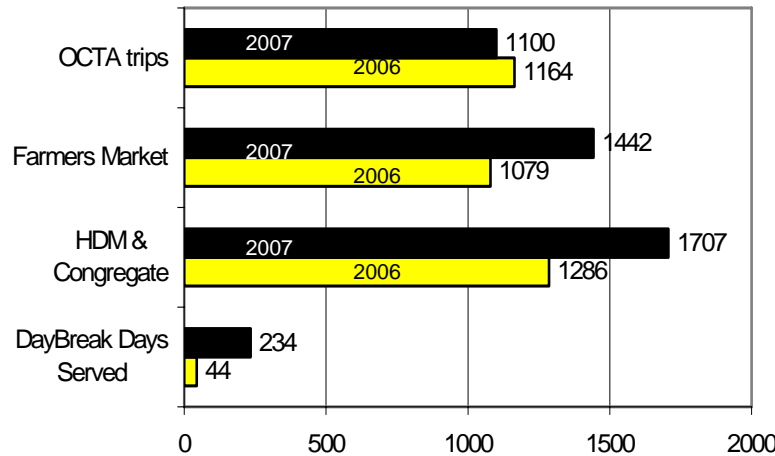
Senior Services Levy  
0.3 Mills = \$465,779

Other Receipts = \$277,309

**Home Delivered and Congregate Meals Served**



**Clients Served**



**2006 EXPENSES 2007 EXPENSES**

Home & Congregate Meals..	\$291,101	\$315,560
Alzheimer & Respite Care...	\$17,747	\$21,037
Home Care.....	\$11,003	\$14,025
Senior Center Services.....	\$206,300	\$224,398
Senior Facilities.....	\$40,036	\$42,075
Operations.....	\$73,812	\$84,150
<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>\$639,999</b>	<b>\$701,245</b>

**2007 SERVICES**

**Senior Centers**.....located in Danbury, Port Clinton, Put-in-Bay, Oak Harbor, Genoa and Elmore.

**Home Delivered Meals and Congregate Meals**.....over 1,707 seniors were served meals in 2007. There were 15,836 congregated meals served and 47,154 home delivered meals served in 2007.

**Recreational and Social Activities**.....Spring/Fall Senior Day at Camp Perry, Senior Day at the Ottawa County Fair, Toledo Mud Hens games, trip to Marblehead Lighthouse, 5 successful "In Your Own Backyard" events, trip to Put-in-Bay, among many other activities throughout the senior centers.

**Farmers Market Coupons**.....aided in the distribution of 1,442 coupons in 2007.

**Homestead Exemption Tax and AARP tax assistance**.....Provided assistance at all senior centers for any senior needing help completing their taxes.

**60+ Clinics**.....to aid in the receiving of medical testing and consultation regarding health issues. Services were expanded to Put-in-Bay in 2007. There were 110 patients served in 2007 with 664 combined total visits.

**OPTIONS for Independence**.....provided homecare assistance for 91 seniors in 2007.

**DayBreak**.....In 2007, *DayBreak* applied for and was accepted as a PASSPORT provider. There were 234 service days for 16 clients in 2007.

**Medicare Part D Provider**.....assisted over 50 seniors with one on one appointments to help choose their Medicare Part D Provider.

**911 Cell Phone Program**.....collected almost 500 phones and distributed 85 back to the senior population for emergency purposes for those without phones.

**File of Life**.....a mini medical history magnet that can be posted to provide easy access of medical information for emergency responders. Over 2,000 seniors received a File of Life magnet.

**OCTA**.....provided more than 1,100 trips for seniors in 2007.

**Drug Repository**.....partnered with Erie County and Serving our Seniors to offer surplus medications to seniors who can not afford medications.

**Ottawa County Senior Resources  
2007 Annual Report to the Community**



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