REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The contract period is March 1, 2025 – September 30, 2026 Addendum 3 Senior Resources Agency on Aging

1. Address and Official Contact Person:

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This office is the **only** contact for this specific area.

Designated Agency Region:

Midstate Region

Cromwell, Durham, East Haddam, East Hampton, Haddam, Middlefield, Middletown, Portland

Applications for portions of a region will not be accepted. For example, applications will not be accepted to serve individual towns.

- 3. **Service Provision:** Proposals are being accepted to provide elderly nutrition services which include the following:
- √ Community Café meals and site management
- √ Home delivered meals
- √ Menu development
- √ Menu certification
- √ Community Café meal delivery
- $\sqrt{}$ Home delivered meal delivery
- √ Outreach
- √ Participation in preparation of area-wide nutrition education plan annually.

 Nutrition Education for home delivered meal clients is provided by the Senior Resources' Registered Dietician
- √ Community Café Nutrition Education and Counseling/Assessments at least quarterly
- 4. **Availability of Funding:** The following are the <u>estimated</u> funds available for the remainder of FFY 2025: \$383,095. The precise level of funding for FFY 2026 is not available at this time and is subject to Federal and State budget approvals.

5. **Estimated Meal Numbers:** The table below shows the average number of each type of meal served by the region based on FFY 2024. The contractor must be able to allow for fluctuations. A detailed café list is included.

	COMMUNITY CAFE			HOME DELIVERED		
Agency on Aging Region	Current Average Monthly Meals in FFY24	Estimated FFY25 Meals Remainder (3/1/25 – 9/30/25)	Estimated Community Cafe Clients in FFY 2024	Current Average Monthly Meals in FFY24	Estimated FFY25 Meals Remainder (3/1/25 – 9/30/25)	Estimated Home Delivered Clients in FFY 2024
Midstate Region	1,700	11,900	260	4,228	29,596	187

^{**}Estimated numbers include emergency meals to be provided to each recipient in case of emergency interruption of meal delivery.

6. Average Client Donation per Meal for FFY 2024:

Agency on Aging Region	Congregate	Home Delivered
Midstate Region	\$1.85	\$0.40

7. Senior Community Cafes for Midstate Region:

FFY 2024 Monthly Estimate Community Café Site Data

Town	Meal Site Days of Service	Total Estimated Monthly Clients	Total Estimated Meals per Month
Cromwell	Cromwell Senior Center (Monday – Friday)	24	145
Durham	Durham Activity Center (Monday and Wednesday)	29	239
East Haddam	East Haddam Senior Center (Monday – Friday)	37	139
East Hampton	East Hampton Senior Center (Monday – Friday)	45	256
Haddam	Haddam Senior Center (Monday – Friday)	28	134
Middlefield	Middlefield Senior Center (Monday, Wednesday, Friday)	31	278
Middletown	Middletown Senior Center (Monday – Friday)	59	365
Portland	Portland Senior Center (Tuesday and Thursday)	13	44