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**"Community Action: Helping People, Changing Lives"**

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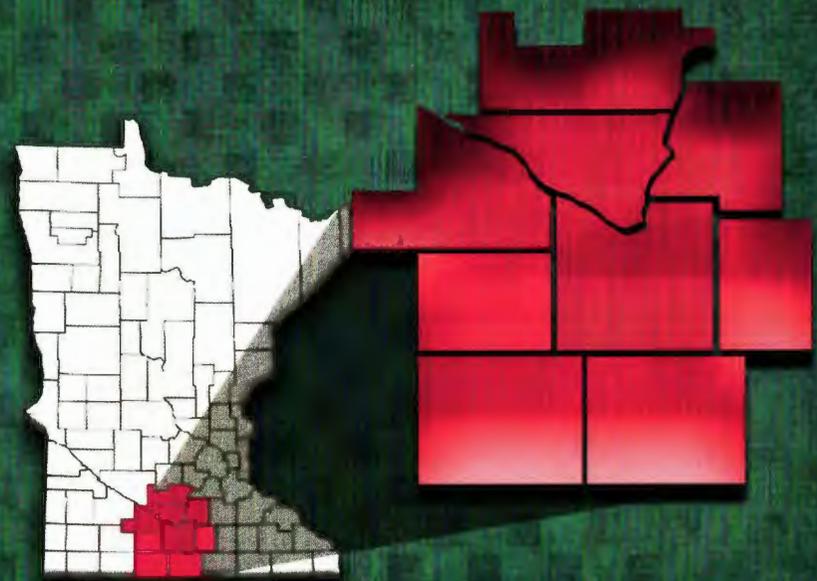
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Veteran Services  
Community Resources

**Counties of Service:**

Blue Earth, Brown, Faribault,  
Le Sueur, Martin, Nicollet,  
Sibley, Waseca, Watonwan

**South Central Minnesota**



**Energy Assistance Program**

Visit our website:



Minnesota Valley Action Council  
706 N Victory Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001

[www.mnvac.org](http://www.mnvac.org)

  
**Community  
Resource Guide**

August 2019

## Feeding Every Baby

Call or Text: 507-519-0772

Feeding Every Baby provides basic feeding (formula, breastfeeding supplies) and diapering essentials to families in need. We do not have income restrictions; we help anyone with a child in need. We have distribution hours at SS Boutique and monthly events at Cambria Gallery. For a full schedule please like us at:

[www.facebook.com/feedingeverybaby](http://www.facebook.com/feedingeverybaby)

## SS Boutique

SS Boutique provides basic essentials (gently used clothes, shoes, home goods and other essentials) at no cost to anyone in need of a hand up. We have no restrictions on income level or place of residency.

### Contact information:

**SS Boutique**  
1415 First Ave  
Mankato, MN 56001

**952-688-6623**  
[ssboutiquemn@gmail.com](mailto:ssboutiquemn@gmail.com)  
FB page with hours info: [@ssboutiquemn](https://www.facebook.com/ssboutiquemn)

## Southern Minnesota Regional Legal Services

SMRLS provides free, high-quality legal services to low-income people in critical civil matters. Approaching each client with respect and compassion, we help individuals and families maintain freedom from hunger, homelessness, sickness, and abuse. Each year, staff and volunteers close approximately 10,000 cases, serving an additional 20,000 people through community education and outreach activities.

Source: <https://www.smrls.org/about-us/#>

### Contact information:

**SMRLS**  
12 Civic Center Plz., Ste. 3000  
Mankato, MN 56001

**507-387-5588**  
Toll free: **1-888-575-2954**

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## INTRODUCTION

Minnesota Valley Action Council is a community action agency. We are for communities, not for profit. We are a private organization that has served south central Minnesota since 1965.



Minnesota Valley Action Council staff can help you find the services you need. If MVAC does not provide the service you are looking for, we will redirect you to the organization that does.

**Please refer to Page 4 for a listing of our county offices.**

This directory is a listing of resources in the following counties:

**Blue Earth, Brown, Faribault, Le Sueur, Martin, Nicollet, Sibley, Waseca, and Watonwan.**

Due to limited space, not all agencies in these counties are listed. A listing is not intended as an endorsement, nor is not being listed intended as disapproval.

For more information on area resources:  
**Contact United Way 2-1-1 at 211 or 1-800-543-7709,  
or online at [www.211.org](http://www.211.org).**

You can also find resources at:  
**[Minnesotahelp.info](http://Minnesotahelp.info).**

## CareerForce

The CareerForce Centers offer various employment services that aid residents in our area in finding occupational and career opportunities. These services include, but are not limited to:

- Applying for unemployment insurance
- Career fairs
- Dislocated worker program
- Employment for at-risk youth
- Farmworks
- Homemakers returning to work
- Job search guides:
  - ◊ Career planning
  - ◊ How people find work
  - ◊ Applications and references
  - ◊ Preparing for the job hunt
  - ◊ Resumes and cover letters
  - ◊ Identifying your skills
  - ◊ Job interviews
- People with disabilities
  - ◊ Counseling and training
  - ◊ Councils
  - ◊ Extended employment
  - ◊ High school students (VRS)
  - ◊ Living independently
- Older workers
- Workers with difficult job history
- Veterans employment program

**Fairmont Center**  
400 State St. S  
Suite 180  
Fairmont, MN 56031  
**507- 235-5518**

**Mankato Center**  
12 Civic Center Plaza  
Suite 1600A  
Mankato, MN 56001  
**507- 344-2622**

**New Ulm Center**  
1618 Broadway S  
Suite 203  
New Ulm, MN 56073  
**507- 354-3138**

## Life-Work Planning Center

Life-Work Planning Center serves all 9 counties, it is a workforce development program for women and a Minnesota displaced homemaker program. Their program offers the following services and more:

- Workshops and support Groups
- One-to-one self-sufficiency counseling
- Career testing and assessment
- Individualized computer access and tutoring
- Information, resources and referrals
- Strengths-Based Leadership Development
- Advocacy
- Resource and referrals

**Mankato Office– in the  
Shared Spaces building**  
127 Second St. S Suite 210  
Mankato, MN 56001  
**507-345-1577 or  
1-800-369-5166**

Source: <https://lwpc.org>

## United Way 2-1-1

2-1-1 can be accessed by phone or computer. A toll-free call to 2-1-1 connects you to a community resource specialist in your area who can put you in touch with local organizations that provide critical services that can improve—and save—lives.

You will find information about:

- Supplemental food and nutrition programs
- Shelter and housing options/utilities assistance
- Emergency information and disaster relief
- Employment and education opportunities
- Services for veterans
- Health care, vaccination and health epidemic information
- Addiction prevention and rehabilitation programs
- Re-entry help for ex-offenders
- Support groups for individuals with mental illnesses or special needs
- A safe, confidential path out of physical and/or emotional domestic abuse.

### United Way 2-1-1 Locations

<b>Blue Earth County</b> 127 2nd St. S, Suite 190 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-4551</b>
<b>Brown County</b> 622 1/2 Center St. New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-6512</b>
<b>Faribault County</b> 220 Central Ave. N, Suite 100 Faribault, MN 55021	<b>507-218-8420</b>
<b>Le Sueur County</b> 500 Main St. N Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-2501</b>
<b>Martin, Nicollet, Sibley, Waseca, and Watonwan Counties</b>	<b>1-800-543-7709</b>



## Minnesota Valley Action Council

MVAC offers a number of different programs to help residents in our 9 county service area.

Some of the programs offered include:

- **Energy Assistance**—The Energy Assistance Program (EAP) helps low income households pay a portion of their heating and electric bills. The program is available to both individuals and families who are income eligible.
- **Head Start**—Free child development program for eligible pregnant women, infants/toddlers, preschool children and their families. Head Start promotes school readiness by responding to and supporting each child's unique needs. Classroom and home visit options are available.
- **Homeless Prevention Programs**—Helps families or individuals that are homeless or at-risk of being homeless.
- **Home Improvement Loans/Grants**—Assists homeowners with repairs or improvements of their property.
- **Section 8**—(only available for Le Sueur and Faribault County residents). Rental assistance for both families and individuals who meet income eligibility.
- **Senior Employment**—(only available in Blue Earth, Brown, Faribault, Martin, Nicollet, and Watonwan counties). Offers part-time opportunities to people age 55 and over to gain work skills through paid work experience.
- **Tax Services**—(seasonal)
- **Weatherization**—A grant for homeowners or renters who are energy assistance recipients to assist them with weatherizing their home.
- **Wheel Get There**—Assists with car ownership and car repairs.
- **Young Adult Career Development**—Serving adults ages 16-24 with employment and education.

### Minnesota Valley Action Council County Offices

<b>Blue Earth County</b> 706 Victory Dr. N Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-6822</b>
<b>Brown County</b> 1618 Broadway St. S, suite 203 New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-508-4041</b>
<b>Faribault County</b> 301 Main St. N Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-5291</b>
<b>Le Sueur County</b> 125 Minnesota Ave. E Le Center, MN 56057	<b>507-357-4246</b>
<b>Martin County</b> 820 Winnebago Ave., Suite 3 Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-1663</b>

**Nicollet County** 507-934-5224  
6500 5th St. S, Suite 213  
Saint Peter, MN 56082

**Sibley County** 507-237-2981  
110 6th St.  
Gaylord, MN 56093

**Waseca County** 507-835-8240  
108 10th Ave. SE  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Watsonwan County** 507-375-5748  
705 2nd Ave. S  
Saint James, MN 56081

## CHILD CARE

Each Human Service office should have a list of daycares in your area.

### Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

**Care Corner** 507-386-7444  
265 St. Andrews Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Child Care Center of Mapleton** 507-524-4541  
604 Main St. E  
Mapleton, MN 56065

**Giggles-n-Wiggles Daycare Center** 507-345-5437  
1720 Bassett Dr. P.O. Box 4205  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Kid's Corner** 507-934-1002  
600 S. 5th St. -Room 106  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**Lil' Bees Learning Center** 507-720-5104  
1821 Bassett Drive, Suite 103  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Lil' Bees** 507-345-8833  
103 Homestead Rd.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Little Saints Day Care** 507-243-3010  
605 4th St.  
Madison Lake, MN 56063

## Salvation Army

Please contact your local Salvation Army to find out what your location offers. The following programs may not be available in all 9 counties.

**\*\*Source: [salvationarmynorth.org](http://salvationarmynorth.org)\*\***

- **Back-to-school supplies**—provides kids with the necessary supplies to return to school.
- **Basic needs services**—provides supportive assistance to individuals in an emergency situation and can help identify other community resources which may provide additional help. Services offered may include help with food, clothing, household furnishings, overnight lodging, transportation, and financial assistance for medical, rent and utility bills.
- **Bundle me warm winter apparel**—this program offers new and gently used coats and winter outer apparel to children and adults.
- **Emergency disaster services**—when disasters strike, our volunteer team provides emotional support and relief to the affected communities. We respond to floods, fires, tornadoes, and any other type of disaster by deploying a mobile kitchen fully loaded with meals and supplies for families, emergency crews, and others on the scene.
- **Free noon meal program**—This is a free, year-long meal program offered seven days a week from noon to 1 p.m. at the Salvation Army Kitchen, 700 S. Riverfront Dr. Free bread and bakery items are also distributed during this time.
- **Holiday meals and assistance**—provides a variety of services to make the holidays brighter. Our Christmas Day Dinner at 700 S. Riverfront Dr. is a holiday feast for those who spend the holidays alone. Meal delivery is available for people confined to their homes. They also supply low-income families with Christmas food baskets so they can have a well-rounded Christmas dinner at home.

### Salvation Army Locations

**Blue Earth, Nicollet and Sibley Counties** 507-345-7840  
700 Riverfront Dr. S  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Brown County** 507-359-6551  
Phone appointments only.

**Faribault and Martin Counties** 507-238-9797  
314 Downtown Plaza  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Le Sueur County** 507-364-7321  
105 3rd St. NW  
Montgomery, MN 56069

**Waseca County** 507-455-2023  
1810 Cedar Ave. S  
Owatonna, MN 55060

**Watsonwan County** 507-375-5748  
705 2nd Ave S  
St. James, MN 56081

## Human Services

Human Services can provide you with Financial Assistance such as:

- Emergency Assistance (Eviction notices, utility shut offs/notices)
- SNAP (Food Support)
- Medical assistance, cash benefits, and daycare assistance

### Human Services County Offices

<b>Blue Earth County</b> 410 Fifth St. S Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-304-4222</b>
<b>Brown County</b> 117 Center St. New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-6500</b>
<b>Faribault County</b> 412 Nicollet St. N Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-3265</b>
<b>Le Sueur County</b> 88 Park Ave. S Le Center, MN 56057	<b>507357-8288</b>
<b>Martin County</b> 115 1st St. W, Suite 100 Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-4757</b>
<b>Nicollet County</b> 622 Front St. S Saint Peter, MN 56082	<b>507-934-8559</b>
<b>&amp;</b> 2070 Howard Dr. North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-387-4556</b>
<b>Sibley County</b> 111 8th St. Gaylord, MN 55334	<b>507-237-4000</b>
<b>Waseca County</b> 299 Johnson Ave. SW Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-837-6600</b>
<b>Watonwan County</b> 15107th Ave. S Saint James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-4453</b>

<b>Little Sprouts</b> 708 Parkway Ave. Eagle Lake, MN 56024	<b>507-654-0155</b>
<b>Pitter Patters Early Learning Center</b> 608 Walnut St. Madison Lake, MN 56063	<b>507-995-5451</b>
<b>Robyn's Nest</b> 1759 Commerce Dr. North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-388-8595</b>
<b>Sam &amp; Abes Childcare Learning and Dev. Center</b> 160 St. Andrews Ct., Suite 100 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-1451</b>

### Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

<b>God's Treasures</b> 608 Highland Dr. Winthrop, MN 55396	<b>507-766-5752</b>
<b>Kids Connection</b> 1900 Franklin St. N New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-2266</b>
<b>Kids X-Cel Center</b> 1506 7th St. N New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-4299</b>
<b>KinderReady Preschool &amp; Daycare Center</b> 806 1st Ave S Saint James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-1111</b>
<b>Little Red Caboose Child Care</b> 500 8th Ave S Saint James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-4517</b>
<b>Little Sprouts Learning Center</b> 500 4th Ave SW Sleepy eye, MN 56085	<b>507-794-8785</b>

### Faribault and Martin Counties

<b>Little Lambs Daycare Center</b> 10 1st Ave SW Wells, MN 56097	<b>507-553-5121</b>
<b>Little Giants</b> 425 S Grove Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-5554</b>

**Building Blocks Learning Center & Child Care** 507-235-5021  
610 Summit Dr., Suite 1  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**St. Paul's Daycare** 507-776-6541  
110 E 4th St. N  
Truman, MN 56088

**Truman Public Schools Daycare** 507-776-2111  
401 1st St. S  
Truman, MN 56088

### Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

**Building Blocks** 507-665-9919  
890 Kingsway Dr.  
Le Sueur, MN 56058

**Elm Care ECFE** 507-835-5875  
900 4th St. SW  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Grace Garden** 507-835-1709  
300 E. Elm Ave  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Hansel & Gretel Preschool** 507-833-2063  
801 4th Ave NE  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Sacred Heart Children's House Montessori** 507-835-2780  
308 West Elm Ave.  
Waseca, MN 56093



Different organizations within your community can help households who are currently disconnected or who have received a disconnection notice, if funds allow.

Human Services and The Salvation Army can pay a portion of your disconnect/ disconnect notice. Minnesota Valley Action Council offers an Energy Assistance Program that runs from October 1st—May 31st, if funds allow . You must be income eligible for this program and the grant will be paid directly to your heating and/or electric vendor. This program can also help with disconnects and disconnect notices.

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**Brown County Veterans Services** 507-233-6636  
14 State St. S  
New Ulm MN 56073  
<http://www.co.brown.mn.us/veterans-service-office-home>

**Faribault County Veterans Services** 507-526-6268  
435 Grove St. S  
Ag Center Plaza, Suite 1A  
Blue Earth, MN 56013  
<http://fcvets.bevcomm.net/>

**Le Sueur County Veterans Services** 507-357-8279  
88 Park Ave S  
Le Center MN 56057  
<https://www.co.le-sueur.mn.us/353/Veterans-Service-Office>

**Martin County Veteran's Services** 507-238-3220  
2423 Albion Ave, Suite 11  
Fairmont MN 56031  
<http://www.co.martin.mn.us/index.php/services/veteran-services>

**Sibley County Veteran's Services** 507-237-4090  
400 Court Ave.  
Gaylord MN 55334  
[https://www.co.sibley.mn.us/government/departments/administration/veterans\\_services/index.php](https://www.co.sibley.mn.us/government/departments/administration/veterans_services/index.php)

**Waseca County Veteran's Services** 507-835-0680  
307 State St. N  
Waseca MN 56093  
<https://www.co.waseca.mn.us/134/Veteran-Services>

**Watonwan County Veteran's Services** 507-375-1254  
108 8th St. S  
Saint James MN 56081  
<http://www.co.watonwan.mn.us/index.aspx?NID=110>



**PCs for People** 507- 665-1535  
107 Walnut St. E  
Mankato, MN 56001

Through electronic reuse, PCs for People provides the opportunity for all low-income individuals and nonprofits to benefit from the life changing impact of computers and mobile internet.

**\*\*Source: <https://www.pcsforpeople.org/about-us/>\*\***

**Prairie Lakes Transit** 507-235-5558  
1033 Dewey St. N  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Wheel Get There – MVAC** 507-345-6822  
706 N. Victory Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001  
*Cars/ car repair assistance.*

### Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

**Minnesota River Valley Transit** 507-665-6211  
601 Fifth St. S  
Le Sueur, MN 56058

**SMART Bus** 1-855-762-7821  
105 3rd Ave. NE  
Waseca, MN 56093

**True Transit** 507-388-8783  
421 Hickory St. E  
Mankato MN 56001

**Wheel Get There – MVAC** 507-345-6822  
706 N. Victory Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001  
*Cars/ car repair assistance.*

## VETERANS

### The following serve all 9 counties

**MACV (Minnesota Assistance Council for Veterans)** 507-345-8258  
724 Madison Ave  
Mankato MN 56001  
[www.mac-v.org](http://www.mac-v.org)

**Veterans Linkage Line** 1-888-linkvet (1-888-546-5838)  
**Website:** [www.mn.gov/mdva](http://www.mn.gov/mdva)

### Veteran's Service County Offices

**Blue Earth County Veterans Office** 507-304-4246  
204 5th St. S  
Mankato MN 56001  
[www.co.blue-earth.mn.us/dept/veterans.php](http://www.co.blue-earth.mn.us/dept/veterans.php)

**Nicollet County Veterans Services** 507-934-7870  
622 Front St. S (second floor)  
Saint Peter MN 56082  
<http://www.co.nicollet.mn.us/173/Veterans-Services>

## DISABILITY SERVICES

### Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

**AmeriCare Mobility Van** 507-625-6741  
307 Pine St.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Lifeworks** 507-625-7522  
201 Victory Dr. N, Suite 430  
Mankato, MN 56001

**MVAC** 507-345-6822  
706 Victory Dr. N  
Mankato, MN 56001

**MRCI WorkSource** 507-386-5659  
15 Map Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**NAMI** 1-800-626-4435  
National Alliance on Mental Illness

**REM** 507-387-3181  
100 Thomas Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**SMILES Center for Independent Living** 507-345-7139  
709 S. Front St. Suite 7  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Vocational Rehabilitation Services (VRS)** 507-344-2622  
12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1600C  
Mankato, MN 56001

**State Services for the Blind** 507-344-2604  
12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1600B  
Mankato, MN 56001

**State of MN Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services** 507-344-2840  
12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1670  
Mankato, MN 56001

**VINE** 507-387-1666  
421 E Hickory St.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**LEEP– Leisure Education for Exceptional People** 507-387-5122  
929 4th St. N  
Mankato, MN 56001

## Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

<b>Lifeworks</b> 201 Victory Dr. N, Suite 430 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-7522</b>
<b>MVAC- Brown County</b> 1618 Broadway S, Suite 203 New Ulm MN 56073	<b>507-354-3138</b>
<b>MVAC- Sibley County</b> 110 6th St. Gaylord, MN 55334	<b>507-237-2981</b>
<b>MVAC- Watonwan County</b> 702 2nd Avenue S Saint James MN 56081	<b>507-375-5748</b>
<b>MRCI WorkSource</b> 2100 Broadway N P.O. Box 894 New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-233-2700</b>
<b>Vocational Rehabilitation Services (VRS)</b> 1618 Broadway S, Suite 203 New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-3138</b>
<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van (Brown and Watonwan)</b> 307 Pine St. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-6741</b>
<b>NAMI</b> National Alliance on Mental Illness	<b>1-800-626-4435</b>
<b>SMILES Center for Independent Living</b> 1618 Broadway S New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-7106</b>
<b>Social Security Administration</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1550 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>1-877-457-1734</b>
<b>State Services for the Blind</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1600B Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-2604</b>
<b>State of MN Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1670 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-2840</b>

## Ruby Ride North Mankato

507-248-7223

<b>Taxi Pros</b> 1429 N Riverfront Dr. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-8294</b>
<b>True Transit</b> 421 Hickory St . E Mankato MN 56001	<b>507-388-8783</b>
<b>VINE People to Jobs</b> 421 Hickory St. E Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-385-8127</b>
<b>Wheel Get There – MVAC</b> 706 N. Victory Dr. Mankato, MN 56001 <i>Cars/ car repair assistance.</i>	<b>507-345-6822</b>
<b>WS Transportation, LLC</b> 1517 Fair St. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-388-0708</b>

## Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van</b> 703 Pine St. Mankato, MN 56001 <i>Non-emergency medical transportation for individuals with disabilities.</i>	<b>507-625-6741</b>
<b>Brown County Heartland Express</b> 1900 N. Franklin New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-2717</b>
<b>Reds Rides</b>	<b>507-508-6680</b>
<b>Take-Me-There (T-M-T)</b> 1304 7th Avenue S. St. James, MN 56032	<b>507-375-7385</b>
<b>Trailblazer Transit</b> 207 11th St. W Glencoe, MN 55336	<b>320-864-1000</b>
<b>Wheel Get There – MVAC</b> 706 N. Victory Dr. Mankato, MN 56001 <i>Cars/car repair assistance.</i>	<b>507-345-6822</b>

## Faribault and Martin Counties

<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van</b> 703 2nd St..S Mankato, MN 56001 <i>Non-emergency medical transportation for individuals with disabilities.</i>	<b>507-625-6741</b>
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## Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

**Cornerstone Christian Counseling** 507-354-1147  
201 N State St.  
New Ulm, MN, 56073

**Eunoia** 507-299-6038  
112 5<sup>th</sup> St.  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Eunoia** 507-359-2080  
1226 Broadway S  
New Ulm, MN 56073

**Eunoia** 1-855-935-6463  
120 7<sup>th</sup> St. S and 116 7<sup>th</sup> St. S  
Saint James, MN 56081

**Sioux Trails** 507-237-9989  
716 Sibley Ave  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Sioux Trails** 507-354-3181  
1407 State St. S  
New Ulm, MN 56073

**Sioux Trails** 507-375-3442  
201 Armstrong Blvd S  
Saint James, MN 56081

## Faribault and Martin Counties

**Eunoia Family Resources Center** 507-235-6070  
1420 State St. N  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Dr. Joe Switras** 507-235-5651  
208 W. 2<sup>nd</sup> St.  
Fairmont, MN 56031

## Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

**Counseling Services of Southern MN** 507-931-8040  
760 Elmwood Ave S  
Le Sueur, MN 56058

**Fernbrook Family Center (Also serves Blue Earth County)** 507-201-2568  
111 North State St.  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Lutheran Social Services** 507-625-7660  
401 Third Ave  
Waseca, MN 56093

**South Central Human Relations Center** 507-835-7064  
(Also offers Mobile Crisis Response & Housing) 24/7 Crisis 1-844-274-7472  
204 2<sup>nd</sup> Street NW  
Waseca, MN 56093

## Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

### Public Health Clinics

**Le Sueur County Public Health/WIC** 507-357-8246  
88 Park Ave. S  
Le Center, MN 56057

**Waseca County Public Health/WIC** 507-835-0685  
299 Johnson Ave.  
Waseca, MN 56093

### Medical Clinics/ Hospitals

**Mayo Clinic Health System— Janesville** 507-231-5118  
312 Main St N  
Janesville, MN 56048

**Mayo Clinic Health System — Le Sueur** 507-665-6299  
625 4th St. S  
Le Sueur, MN 56058

**Mayo Clinic Health System — Montgomery** 507-364-5600  
501 4th St. NW  
Montgomery, MN 56069

**Mayo Clinic Health System— New Prague** 952-758-4461  
212 County Road 37  
New Prague, MN 56071

**Mayo Clinic Health System— Waterville** 507-362-4221  
212 Lake St. E  
Waterville, MN 56096

**Ridgeview Le Sueur Medical Center** 507-665-3375  
621 4th St. S  
Le Sueur, MN 56058

**Waseca Medical Center** 507-835-1210  
501 State St. N  
Waseca, MN 56093

### COUNSELING: CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY

## Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

**Hazelden Betty Ford Foundation (serves all 9 counties)** 1-866-304-1473  
15251 Pleasant Valley Road  
Center City, MN 55012

**House of Hope (Serves all 9 - Assessments in Mankato)** 507-625-4373  
1618 3rd Ave  
Mankato, MN 56001

**House of Hope (Out Patient Program)** 507-345-4670  
 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 2116  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**House of Hope (Out Patient Program)** 507-345-4670  
 201 West Park Row  
 Saint Peter, MN 56001

**Mayo Clinic - Fountain Centers (Serves all 9)** 507-594-2689  
 1400 Madison Ave., Suite 100A  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**New Beginnings Minnesota (Outpatient Program)** 507-931-0918  
 320 Sunrise Dr. Suite B  
 Saint Peter, MN 56082

**Phoenix Recovery Programs** 507-386-0668  
 54945 210th LN  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Welcome Manor Family Services (Serves all 9)** 507-546-3295  
 114 Pleasant St. W  
 Garden City, MN 56034  
*Women's treatment facility*

**Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties**

**New Ulm Medical Center** 507-217-5000  
 1324 5th St N  
 New Ulm, MN 56073

**Fairbault and Martin Counties**

**Mayo Clinic Health Systems- Fountain Centers** 507-238-4382  
 828 North Ave. N  
 Fairmont, MN 56031

**House of Hope** 507-625-4373  
 1100 Indus St.  
 Fairmont, MN 56031

**Le Sueur and Waseca Counties**

**House of Hope (Out-Patient Program)** 507-779-7884  
 299 Johnson Ave, suite 280  
 Waseca, MN 56093



**Counseling and Mental Health Services**

**Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties**

**Adult, Child and Family Services, LLC.** 507-387-3777  
 103 Broad St. N  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Blue Earth County Mental Health Center** 507-304-4319  
 410 Fifth St. S  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Catholic Charities** 507-387-5586  
 201 Broad St. N Suite 100  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Counseling Services of Sothern MN** 507-931-8040  
 226 Broad St. N  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Counseling Services of Southern MN** 507-931-8040  
 1306 Marshall St.  
 St. Peter, MN 56082

**Eunoia** 507-779-7366  
 1400 Madison Ave Suite 628  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Five Rivers Mental Health Clinic** 507-345-7021  
 220 Main St. E Suite 1  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Lutheran Social Services** 507-625-7660  
 710 2nd St. S  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Mankato Psychology Clinic** 507-387-1350  
 209 Second St. S  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Sioux Trails Mental Health Center** 507-388-3181  
 342 Belgrade Ave  
 North Mankato, MN 56003

**South Central Crisis Center/Mobile Team** 507-344-0621  
 521 Pfau Street  
 Mankato, MN 56001

# HOUSING PROGRAMS

The following listed resources may be helpful in finding housing, keeping housing and fixing up your home.

## The following serve all 9 counties

**CADA** (24 HR): 507-625-3966  
Crisis Line: 1-844-274-7472

*CADA provides emergency safety shelter for female identified survivors and their children experiencing domestic and sexual violence and sex trafficking.*

**Connections Ministry** 507-341-9636  
*Rotating Shelter, please call for more information.*

**Habitat for Humanity** 507-388-2081  
1730 Bassett Dr.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Minnesota Housing Finance Agency** 1-651-296-7608

**Minnesota Valley Action Council** 507-345-6822  
706 N. Victory Dr. (Main Office)  
Mankato, MN 56001

*Homeless prevention, Home improvement loans and section 8 \*Section 8 is only for Le Sueur and Faribault County \* Must be income eligible.*

**Partners for Affordable Housing** 507-387-2115  
151 Good Counsel Dr. Suite 130  
Mankato, MN 56001

*Transitional housing.*

**Salvation Army**  
*Refer to page 42 for your location.*

**Salvation Army – Men’s Shelter (Seasonal)** 507-345-7840  
700 Riverfront Dr. S  
Mankato, MN 56001

*Open to all males no matter what county. The shelter is open seven days a week from 7:30 p.m. to 7:30 a.m. Residents will receive a hot shower, dinner and access to laundry facilities.*

**Section 8 Rental Assistance** 507-387-8600  
City of Mankato – Intergovernmental Center  
10 Civic Center Plaza  
Mankato, MN 56001

**South Central MN Multi-County HRA** 507-345-1977  
(Serves Martin, Nicollet, Waseca and Watonwan Counties)  
422 Belgrade Ave. Suite 102  
North Mankato, MN 56001

# Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

## Public Health Clinics

**Brown Co. Public Health Department** 507-233-6820  
1117 Center St.  
New Ulm, MN 56073

**Sibley Co. Public Health & Human Services** 507-237-4000  
111 8th St.  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Watonwan County Public Health** 507-375-3295  
715 2nd Ave S P.O Box 31  
Saint James, MN 56081

**Glencoe Regional Health Services** 320-864-3121  
1805 Hennepin Ave. N  
Glencoe, MN 55336

## Medical Clinics/ Hospitals

**Madelia Community Hospital & Clinic** 507-642-5200  
121 Drew Ave. SE  
Madelia, MN 56062

**Mayo Clinic Health System—Springfield** 507-723-6201  
625 Jackson Ave. N  
Springfield, MN 56087

**Mayo Clinic Health System—St. James** 507-375-3261  
1101 Moulton and Parsons Dr.  
St. James, MN 56081

**New Ulm Medical Center** 507-217-5011  
1324 5th St. N  
New Ulm, MN 56073

**Ridgeview Sibley Medical Center** 507-964-2271  
601 Chandler St.  
Arlington, MN 55307

**Ridgeview Gaylord Clinic** 507-237-5523  
660 3rd St.  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Ridgeview Henderson Clinic** 507-248-3433  
505 Main St.  
Henderson, MN 56044

**Ridgeview Winthrop Clinic** 507-647-5318  
202 S. County Road 33  
Winthrop, MN 55396

**Winthrop Area Clinic** 507-647-8000  
211 2nd St. W  
Winthrop, MN 55396

## Faribault and Martin Counties

### Public Health Clinics

<b>Faribault County Public Health/WIC</b> 412 Nicollet St. N Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-3265</b>
<b>Martin County Public Health/WIC</b> 115 1st St. W Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-4757</b>

### Medical Clinics/ Hospitals

<b>Dulcimer Medical Center</b> 1950 Center Creek Dr. Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-4968</b>
<b>Center for Specialty Care — Fairmont</b> 717 State St. S, Suite 900 Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-4949</b>
<b>Center for Specialty &amp; Primary Care — Blue Earth</b> 411 Grove St. S, Suite 3 Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-5191</b> <b>24 HR: 507-779-9634</b>
<b>Lakeview Methodist Healthcare Center</b> 610 Summit Dr. Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-6606</b>
<b>Mayo Clinic Health System — Fairmont</b> 800 Medical Center Dr. Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-8100</b>
<b>United Hospital District Clinic</b> 515 Moore St. S Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-7388</b>
<b>Options Pregnancy Center</b> 322 Blue Earth Ave. E Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-2330</b>
<b>United Hospital District—Fairmont Clinic</b> 221 1st. St. E Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-1287</b>

## Counseling—Domestic Abuse / Sexual Assault

Committee Against Domestic Abuse – CADA 507-625-8688  
Crisis Line: 1-800-477-0466

### Counseling—Financial

<b>Catholic Charities ( Serves all 9 )</b> 201 Broad St. N Suite 100 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-5586</b>
<b>Lutheran Social Service (Serves all 9)</b> 710 2nd St. S Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-7660</b>

### Counseling—Legal

<b>Southern MN Regional Legal Services (All 9)</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 3000 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-5588</b>
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### Counseling—Pregnancy/Parenting

<b>Birthright of Mankato (Serves all 9)</b> 330 Stadium Rd, Suite 201B Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-7818</b>
<b>Catholic Charities (Serves all 9)</b> 201 Broad St. N Suite 100 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-5586</b>
<b>Lutheran Social Service (Serves all 9)</b> 710 2nd St. S Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-7660</b>
<b>Planned Parenthood of MN/ND/SD (Serves all 9)</b> Belle Mar Center 201 Victory Dr. N Suite 211 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-5581</b>
<b>Teenage Pregnancy &amp; Parenting Program (Serves all 9)</b> 110 Fulton St. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-3047</b>

### Counseling—Suicide Prevention

<b>Light For Light Foundation</b>	<b>507-387-5020</b>
<b>Suicide Prevention Hotline</b>	<b>1-800-865-0606</b>
<b>South Central Crisis Center Warm/Crisis Line</b>	<b>1-877-399-3040</b>
<b>Crisis Response</b>	<b>1-844-274-7472</b>

**Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties continued**

<b>Arlington Public Library</b> 321 W. Main Street Arlington, MN 55307	<b>507-964-2490</b>
<b>Butterfield Public Library</b> 111 Second Street N Butterfield, MN 56120	<b>507-956-2361</b>
<b>Comfrey Community Library</b> 120 Brown St W Comfrey, MN 56019	<b>507-877-6600</b>
<b>Darfur Branch Library</b> 200 Adrian St. N Darfur, MN 56022	<b>507-877-5010</b>
<b>Dyckman Free Library</b> 345 Main St. W Sleepy Eye, MN 56085	<b>507-794-7655</b>
<b>Gaylord Public Library</b> 428 Main Avenue Gaylord, MN 55334	<b>507-237-2280</b>
<b>Gibbon Public Library</b> 1050 Adams Library Gibbon, MN 55335	<b>507-834-6640</b>
<b>Henderson Public Library</b> 110 6th St. S Henderson, MN 56044	<b>507-248-3880</b>
<b>New Ulm Public Library</b> 17 Broadway N New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-8331</b>
<b>Winthrop Public Library</b> 305 Main St. N Winthrop, MN 55396	<b>507-647-5308</b>

**Faribault and Martin Counties**

<b>Blue Earth Community Library</b> 124 W. 7th St. Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-5012</b>
<b>Elmore Public Library</b> 109 Willis St. E Elmore, MN 56027	<b>507-943-3150</b>
<b>Fairmont/Martin County Library</b> 110 Park St. N Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-4207</b>

<b>Wells Food Shelf</b> 291 1st St. N Winnebago, MN 56098	<b>507-553-5343</b>
<b>Winnebago Food Shelf</b> 127 Main St. N Winnebago, MN 56098	<b>507-893-3197</b>
<b>Women, Infants and Children (WIC)</b>	<b>Faribault &amp; Martin Co: 507-238-4757</b>

**Le Sueur and Waseca Counties**

<b>Cleveland Food Shelf</b>	<b>507-931-5989 507-931-6380</b>
<b>Grace's Garage</b> 105 2nd St. SE Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-835-1709</b>
<b>Janesville Food Shelf</b> 412 Main St. N Janesville, MN 56048	<b>507-231-5623</b>
<b>Le Center Food Shelf</b> 15 Park Ave. S Le Center, MN 56057	<b>507-357-4076</b>
<b>Le Sueur Food Shelf</b> 427 5th St. S Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-2615</b>
<b>New Richland Food Shelf</b> 101 S Broadway New Richland, MN 56072	<b>952-649-7579</b>
<b>Waseca Area Food Shelf</b> 203 3rd Ave. NW Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-833-4022</b>
<b>Women, Infants and Children (WIC)</b>	<b>Le Sueur Co.: 507-357-8246 Waseca Co.: 507-835-0685</b>



# HEALTH AND COUNSELING

## Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

### Public Health Clinics

**Blue Earth County Public Health/WIC** 507-304-4319  
410 5th St. S (lower level)  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Nicollet County Public Health** 507-934-7220  
622 Front St. S  
St. Peter, MN 56082

### Medical Clinics/ Hospitals

**Mankato Clinic—Daniels Health Center** 507-934-2325  
1901 Minnesota Ave. N  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**Mankato Clinic — Main St.** 507-625-1811  
1230 Main St. E  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Mankato Clinic — Mapleton** 507-524-3835  
305 Main St. NE  
Mapleton, MN 56065

**Mayo Clinic Health System-Hospital & Clinic** 507-625-4031  
1025 Marsh St. 1-800-327-3721  
Mankato, MN 56001 **Appointments: 1-877 931-2110**

**Mayo Clinic Health System — St. Peter** 507- 931-2110  
1900 Sunrise Dr. Suite 200  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**Open Door health Center** 507- 388-2120  
(Serves all 9 counties)  
309 Holly Lane  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Pediatric & Adolescent Dentistry** 507-387-4078  
212 Star St.  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Rivers Edge Hospital & Clinic** 507-931-2200  
1900 Sunrise Dr. N  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**MNSure** 651-539-2099 or 1-855-366-7873

**Partnership for Prescription Assistance (PPA)** 1-888-477-2669

**The REACH Drop-In Center** 507-720-0331  
125 Liberty St. E  
Mankato, MN 56001  
*Homeless youth.*

**Theresa House** 507-387-8189  
423 Broad St. S  
Mankato, MN 56001  
*Shelter for homeless families and single women.*

**Welcome Inn** 507-387-4061  
416 Broad St. S  
Mankato, MN 56001  
*Shelter for homeless families and single women.*

## Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties continued

**City of New Ulm EDA Housing** 507-359-8227  
100 Broadway N  
New Ulm, MN 56073

## Faribault and Le Sueur Counties

**Section 8 Rental Assistance (Le Sueur & Faribault Co)** 507-345-6822  
Minnesota Valley Action Council  
706 Victory Dr. N  
Mankato, MN 56001

## Waseca County

**Bethlehem Inn** 507-833-8310  
400 2nd Ave NW  
Waseca MN 56093  
*A transitional home for women & children.*

# LIBRARIES

## Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

**Blue Earth County Library** 507-304-4001  
100 Main St. E  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Lake Crystal Public Library** 507-726-2726  
100 Robinson St. E  
Lake Crystal, MN 56055

**Mapleton Public Library** 507-524-3513  
104 First Ave.  
Mapleton, MN 56065

**North Mankato Taylor Library** 507-345-5120  
1001 Belgrade Avenue  
North Mankato, MN 56003

**St. Peter Public Library** 507-934-7420  
601 Washington Ave. S  
St. Peter, MN 56082

# SENIOR PROGRAMS

## Blue Earth County

**Senior Drug Program:** 507-345-7787 or 1-800-424-8867

*Helps seniors pay for prescription drugs.*

### Senior Dining/Hot Meals on Wheels

**Gus Johnson Plaza** 507-625-5279

**Orness Plaza Senior Dining** 507-345-8599

**Vine/Faith in Action, Meals on Wheels** 507-387-4076

**LSS Senior Nutrition** 800-488-4146

**MVAC Senior Employment** 507-344-2641 or toll free: 1-800-767-7139

*Serves Blue Earth, Brown, Faribault, Martin, Nicollet & Watonwan Counties. Offers part-time employment opportunities for people 55 years of age or older.*

**Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)** 507-345-7787

*Senior volunteers are matched with volunteer opportunities in the community.*

**Minnesota Help Info:** [www.minnesotahelp.info](http://www.minnesotahelp.info)

**Senior Linkage Line (Serves all 9)** 1-800-333-2433

**TAX Services – MN Valley Action Council – Seasonal (serves all 9)**  
507-345-6822 or 1-800-767-7139

## Brown County

**Congregate Senior Dining – New Ulm** 507-359-2243

*Meals are provided at a minimal charge.*

**Congregate Senior Dining – Sleepy Eye** 507-794-7296

*Meals are provided at a minimal charge.*

### Meals on Wheels

**New Ulm** 507-359-8340

**Sleepy Eye** 507-794-3571

**Springfield** 507-723-3236

# FOOD AND NUTRITION

**Important:** Please call the food pantries to confirm that the hours have not changed. Food pantries often change their hours and some require appointments only and may have a small fee. We do not want you to spend your time visiting a pantry that is not open.

## Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

**Backpack Food Program** 507-720-8511  
Serving Mankato, St. Clair, Maple River,  
Lake Crystal ISD 2071 and Nicollet Schools

**Bethel Baptist Church Food for All** 507-345-4011  
1250 Monks Ave  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Blue Earth County Human Services (SNAP)** 507-304-4182  
410 5th St. S  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Children's Weekend Food Program** [cwpfstpeter.weebly.com](http://cwpfstpeter.weebly.com)  
Serving St. Peter schools

**ECHO Food Shelf** 507-345-7508  
1014 Front St. S  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Fare for All** 1-763-450-3880  
1124 River Dr. N Website: [fareforall.org](http://fareforall.org)  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Nicollet County Human Services (SNAP)** 507-934-8559  
622 Front St. S  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**PACT Ministries Food for All** 507-625-7228  
1700 3rd Ave  
Mankato, MN 56001

**St. Peter Area Food Shelf** 507-934-9641  
201B 3rd St. S  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**Women, Infants and Children (WIC)** BE Co.: 507-304-4319  
NI Co.: 507-934-8262



## Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties

<b>Food For All</b> 706 3rd Ave. S St. James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-3432</b>
<b>Henderson Area Community Food Share</b> 210 Main St. Henderson, MN 56044 (3rd Thursday of each month: 4:30—5:30, no phone # available)	
<b>New Ulm Area Food Shelf</b> 1305 3rd Ave. S New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-7668</b>
<b>Sibley County Food Shelf</b> 111 Industrial Ave. S Gaylord, MN 55334	<b>507-237-5253</b>
<b>The Food Cupboard</b> 107 3rd St. W (Covenant Church) Winthrop, MN 55396	<b>Covenant Church Phone: 507-647-5777</b>
<b>Watonwan County Food Shelf</b> 108 8th St. S Saint James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-2527</b>
<b>Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)</b>	<b>BR Co.: 507-233-6800 SI Co.: 507-237-4000 WT Co.: 507-375-3294</b>

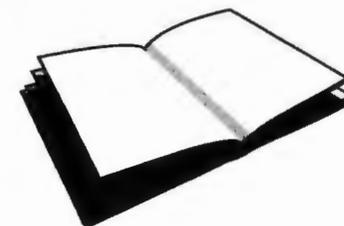
## Faribault and Martin Counties

<b>CROPS</b>	<b>507-526-3850</b>
<b>Faribault County Area Food Shelf</b> 415 Grove St. S Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-7222</b>
<b>Heaven's Table Food Shelf</b> 900 Winnebago Ave. Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-5424</b>
<b>The Salvation Army Of Martin County Emergency Food Shelf</b> 303 Downtown Plaza Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-238-9797</b>
<b>Ruby's Pantry (East Chain Evangelical Free Church)</b> 507 280th Ave Granada, MN 56039	<b>651-674-0009</b>
<b>St. John Vianney Hope Shop</b> 901 Prairie Ave S Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-5535</b>

<b>Sherburn Public Library</b> 27 Main St. N Sherburn, MN 56171	<b>507-764-7611</b>
<b>Trimont Public Library</b> 190 Main St. W Trimont, MN 56176	<b>507-639-2571</b>
<b>Truman Public Library</b> 101 Ciro St. E Truman, MN 56088	<b>507-776-2717</b>

## Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

<b>Elysian Public Library</b> 132 Main St. E Elysian, MN 56028	<b>507-267-4411</b>
<b>Janesville Public Library</b> 100 2nd St. W Janesville, MN	<b>507-234-6605</b>
<b>Le Center Public Library</b> 10 Tyrone St. W Le Center, MN 56057	<b>507-357-6792</b>
<b>Le Sueur Public Library</b> 118 Ferry St. E Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-2662</b>
<b>Montgomery Public Library</b> 104 Oak Avenue SE Montgomery, MN 56069	<b>507-364-7615</b>
<b>New Prague Public Library</b> 400 Main St. E New Prague, MN 56071	<b>952-496-8026</b>
<b>New Richland Public Library</b> 129 Broadway Ave. S New Richland, MN 56072	<b>507-465-3708</b>
<b>Waseca-Le Sueur Regional Library – Waseca</b> 408 State St. N Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-835-2910</b>
<b>Waterville Public Library</b> 210 Paquin St. E Waterville, MN 56096	<b>507-362-8462</b>



*Appointments required –Free tax service for elderly and low income individuals.*

**Sibley County**

**Forever Young Senior Center** 507-317-5519  
425 Sibley Ave  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Good Samaritan Sibley Estates West** 1-866-974-0283  
509 High St. W  
Winthrop, MN 55396

**Gibbon Community Center** 507-834-6566  
985 1st. Ave  
Gibbon, MN 55335

**Motivation, Education & Training (MET)** 1-763-271-3709

**Sibley Estates East** 507-248-3445  
610 Main St.  
Henderson, MN 56044

**St. Paul's Lutheran Church** 507-326-3451  
240 Cleveland Ave  
Green Isle, MN 55338

**Waseca County**

**MN Board on Aging** 1-800-882-6262

**Senior Employment—Experience Works** 507-451-0989

**National Indian Council on Aging** 507-292-2001  
<https://nicoa.org/>

**Nutrition Assistance Programs for Seniors (NAP)** 507-833-4022  
*1st Thursday of each month, income based.*

**Waseca Area Senior Center** 507-835-4552  
*Education, recreation & employment.*

**Retired Senior Volunteer Program** 507-461-5709

**Meals on Wheels**

**Waseca** 507-835-7747

**Janesville** 507-234-5333

**New Richland** 507-465-3292

**Le Sueur County**

**Le Center Head Start Office** 507-357-4246  
125 Minnesota St E  
Le Center, MN 56057

**Martin County**

**Fairmont Head Start** 507-238-1409  
625 Johnson St.  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Nicollet County**

**St. Peter Head Start** 507-934-5225  
600 5th St, S  
St. Peter, MN 56082

**Sibley County**

**Sibley County Head Start** 507-237-5438  
318 4th St.  
PO Box 705  
Gaylord, MN 55334

**Waseca County**

**Waseca Head Start** 507-835-1282  
108 10th Ave. SE  
Waseca, MN 56093

**Watsonwan County**

**St. James Head Start** 507-375-5748  
705 2nd Ave. S  
St James, MN 56093



For more information on employment contact your local MVAC office, CareerForce Center and Human Services to see what Employment and Training programs are available within your county. You can find their contact information in the back of this booklet under "Community Resources".

**Staffing Agencies serving all 9 counties**

**Aerotek** 507-344-6800  
921 Madison Ave , Suite 101  
Mankato, MN 56001

**Aventure** 507-399-2027  
400 State St. S, Suite 270  
Fairmont, MN 56031

<b>Doherty</b> 1400 Madison Ave., Suite 334 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-5009</b>
<b>Doherty Staffing</b> 113 Main St. N Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-3720</b>
<b>Express Employment Professionals</b> 113 Monroe Ave. North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-387-5620</b>
<b>People Ready</b> 1707 Madison Ave. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-201-8246</b>
<b>Manpower</b> 111 Star St. Suite 110 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-4201</b>
<b>Manpower</b> 426 Winnebago Ave Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-8990</b>
<b>Masterson Staffing Solutions</b> 612 Victory Dr. N Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-3600</b>
<b>Masterson Staffing Solutions</b> 210 20th St. S Suite 119 New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-3325</b>
<b>Spherion Staffing Services</b> 223 Belgrade Ave North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-432-2430</b>
<b>TEAM Personnel</b> 121 E. Main St. Suite 301 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-720-6556</b>
<b>The Employment Poole</b> 113 Main St. N Suite B Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-3720</b>
<b>Volt</b> 1985 Lookout Dr. North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-304-6514</b>



### Fairbault County

**NAPS (Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors)** 1-800-365-0270

*Assist senior households with food.*

#### Senior Dining/ Meals on Wheels

<b>Blue Earth</b>	<b>507-526-3850</b>
<b>Bricelyn</b>	<b>507-653-4504</b>
<b>Wells</b>	<b>507-553-6083</b>
<b>Winnebago</b>	<b>507-893-4638</b>

### Le Sueur County

#### Senior Dining/ Meals on Wheels

<b>Montgomery</b>	<b>507-364-7996</b>
<b>Le Center</b>	<b>507-357-4767</b>
<b>Le Sueur</b>	<b>507-665-8677</b>
<b>Waterville</b>	<b>507-362-8403</b>
<b>Elysian</b>	<b>507-267-4997</b>

**NAPS (Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors)** 1-800-365-0270

### Martin County

**Crest (Volunteers helping neighbors)** 507-235-3833  
820 Winnebago Ave  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Hot Meals on Wheels** 507-236-8781  
Lakeview Methodist Healthcare Center  
610 Summit Dr.  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Senior Dining / Meals on Wheels** 507-238-9797

**Senior Dining / LSS Meals** 507-238-1650  
500 Home St.  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Nutrition Assistance Program for Seniors (NAPS)**  
**Heaven's Table Food shelf** 507-238-5424  
900 Winnebago Ave  
Fairmont, MN 56031

**Salvation Army Thrift Store** 507-345-7074  
 201 Star St.  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**The Free Store** 507-387-2115  
*Call for requirements.*

**Church of St. Peter Thrift** 507-931-9150  
 401 S. Minnesota Ave.  
 St. Peter, MN 56082

**VINE Home Thrift Store** 507-387-2699  
 77 Star St.  
 Mankato, MN 56001

**Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties**

**AGAIN Thrift & More** 507-359-8009  
 1607 S. Broadway  
 New Ulm, MN 56073

**Circle of Friends Thrift Store** 612-309-2176  
 802 6th St. W  
 Winthrop, MN 55396

**Clothing Depot** 507-276-6302  
 101 Broadway N  
 New Ulm, MN 56073

**Enterprise Thrift Shoppe** 507-642-3660  
 6 Main St. E  
 Madelia, MN 56062

**Good Neighbor Thrift Store** 507-723-5778  
 20 Central St. E  
 Springfield, MN 56087

**Hip Hop Family Shop** 507-964-5654  
 339 Main St. W  
 Arlington, MN 55307

**MRCI Bargains** 507-354-3289  
 1702 Westridge Road  
 New Ulm, MN 56073

**New Ulm Clothing Depot** 507-276-6302  
 1600 Franklin St. S  
 New Ulm, MN 56073 *(Not open daily. Call to make an appointment)*

**Next Tu Nu II** 507-794-5881  
 205 Main St. E.  
 Sleepy Eye, MN 56085

**Sibley County Seconds** 507-964-2199  
 431 Main St. W  
 Arlington, MN 55307



**Community Education**

Call to make an appointment and to find out class times.

**Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties**

Adult Basic Education/GED—Mankato 507-345-5222

Lincoln Community Center (GED Testing) 507-345-5222

Lake Crystal Community Education 507-726-2673

Maple River Community Education 507-524-3918

St. Peter Adult Basic Education/GED 507-934-3048

**Brown, Sibley and Watonwan Counties**

Butterfield Community Education 507-956-2771

GFW Community Education 507-834-9813

Lincoln Community Center (GED Testing) 507-345-5222

Madelia Community Education 507-642-3232

New Ulm Community Education 507-233-8307

Sibley East Community Education 507-964-8235

Sleepy Eye Community Education 507-794-7873

**Faribault and Martin Counties**

Adult Basic Education/GED - Blue Earth 507-526-3172

Fairmont Community Education 507-235-3141

Lincoln Community Center (GED Testing) 507-345-5222

**Le Sueur and Waseca Counties**

Cleveland Community Education 507-931-5953

Janesville-Waldorf-Pemberton HS 507-231-7777

Le Sueur Adult Basic Education/GED 507-665-6244

Lincoln Community Center (GED Testing) 507-345-5222

**Le Sueur and Waseca Counties continued**

<b>New Prague Community Education</b>	<b>952-758-1734</b>
<b>New Richland-Hartland-Ellendale-Geneva HS</b>	<b>507-417-2667</b>
<b>St. Peter Adult Basic Education/GED</b>	<b>507-934-3048</b>
<b>Tri-City United Community Education</b>	<b>507-364-8107</b>
<b>Waseca Community Education</b>	<b>507-835-5626</b>

**Head Start**

Head Start leads the early childhood field with a strong, clear, and comprehensive focus on healthy child development. This includes physical, cognitive, social and emotional development, all of which are essential to getting your child ready for school.

**Blue Earth County**

<b>Mankato Head Start (including North Mankato)</b> 105 5th St. N Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-3565</b>
<b>Mapleton Head Start</b> 104 Main St. N P.O. Box 101 Mapleton, MN 56065	<b>507-524-4478</b>

**Brown County**

<b>New Ulm Head Start Office</b> 1618 South Broadway New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-359-9287</b>
<b>New Ulm Head Start Class Site</b> 910 14th St. N New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-441-1485</b>
<b>Brown County Head Start</b> 104 St Mary's Street, PO Box 497 Sleepy Eye, MN 56085	<b>507-794-5660</b>

**Faribault County**

<b>Blue Earth Head Start</b> 301 Main St. N Blue Earth, MN 56013	<b>507-526-5458</b>
<b>Wells Head Start</b> 17 1st Avenue SW Wells, MN 56097	<b>507-553-5099</b>

**Watonwan County**

<b>Senior Dining/Meals on Wheels</b>	<b>507-375-4370</b>
<i>Inexpensive, nutritious meals for senior shut-ins; also noon meals for seniors.</i>	
<b>Nutrition Assistance Programs for Seniors (NAPS)</b>	<b>1-800-365-0270</b>



**Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties**

<b>AGAIN Thrift &amp; More</b> 706 N. Victory Dr. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-345-2409</b>
<b>Goodwill</b> 2024 Adams St. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-0955</b>
<b>Govenaires Thrift Store</b> 202 S Minnesota Ave St. Peter, MN 56082	<b>507-934-1606</b>
<b>Habitat for Humanity Restore</b> 1730 Bassett Dr. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-388-6682</b>
<b>Hopp's Thrift Store</b> 1000 Belle Ave. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-387-4448</b>
<b>Lake Crystal Grace</b> 101 Main St. S Lake Crystal, MN 56055	<b>507-726-6881</b>
<b>MRCI Thrift Shop</b> 111 Sioux Rd. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-388-3867</b>
<b>Neighborhood Thrift Store</b> 105 Lind St. W Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-7228</b>
<b>New 2 You Family Thrift</b> 1838 Commerce Dr. North Mankato, MN 56003	<b>507-385-1455</b>
<b>Riverfront Reruns</b> 722 Riverfront Dr. N Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-385-0450</b>

<b>Lady Bug Thrift Store</b> 116 Broadway Ave S. New Richland, MN 56072	<b>507-463-3443</b>
<b>Peace Center</b> 313 Columbus Ave. N New Prague, MN 56071	<b>952-758-4688</b>
<b>Simply Saved Thrift Store</b> 107 1st St. W Janesville, MN 56048	<i>No phone # available.</i>
<b>St. Mary's Thrift Store</b> 69 Minnesota St. E Le Center, MN 56057	<b>507-357-4838</b>
<b>Treasures in Town</b> 206 Main St. S Le Sueur, MN 56058	<b>507-665-4923</b>
<b>Waseca Area Neighborhood Service Center Thrift Store</b> 203 Third Ave. NW Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-833-4119</b>

## TRANSPORTATION

Please call for fares, schedules, and routes as each transportation service will differ in charge amount and times of service.

### Blue Earth and Nicollet Counties

<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van</b> 703 Pine St. Mankato, MN 56001 <i>Non-emergency medical transportation for individuals with disabilities.</i>	<b>507-625-6741</b>
<b>Blue Earth County Taxi</b> 931 Madison Ave., Suite 103 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-388-2227</b>
<b>Kato Cab</b> 722 Riverfront Dr. N Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-388-7433</b>
<b>Mankato City Bus Service</b>  <i>Token passes are available for purchasing.</i>	<b>507-625-7433</b>
<b>Minnesota River Valley Transit Dial-A-Ride</b> 227 Front St. S St. Peter, MN 56082	<b>1-888-880-4696</b>

### Faribault and Martin Counties

<b>Lifeworks</b> 201 Victory Dr. N, Suite 430 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-7522</b>
<b>MVAC – Faribault County.</b> 301 Main St. N Blue Earth MN 56013	<b>507-526-5291</b>
<b>MVAC – Martin County WorkForce Center</b> 400 S. State St., Suite 180 Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-5518</b>
<b>MRCI WorkSource</b> 701 Cory Lane Fairmont MN 56031	<b>507-238-4388</b>
<b>STEP, Inc.</b> 5 Downtown Plaza Fairmont MN 56031	<b>507-238-4341</b>
<b>Vocational Rehabilitation Services (VRS)</b> 400 State St. S Suite 180 Fairmont MN 56031	<b>507-235-5518</b>
<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van</b> 307 Pine St. Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-625-6741</b>
<b>NAMI</b> National Alliance on Mental Illness	<b>1-800-626-4435</b>
<b>SMILES Center for Independent Living</b> 301 Downtown Plaza #3 Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-3488</b>
<b>Social Security Administration</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1550 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>1-877-457-1734</b>
<b>State Services for the Blind</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1600B Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-2604</b>
<b>State of MN Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1670 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-2840</b>

## Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

<b>Lifeworks</b> 201 Victory Dr. N, suite 430 Mankato MN 56001	<b>507-625-7522</b>
<b>MVAC – Le Sueur County</b> 125 Minnesota St. E Le Center MN 56057	<b>507-357-4246</b>
<b>MVAC- Waseca County</b> 108 10th Ave. SE Waseca MN 56093	<b>507-835-8240</b>
<b>MRCI WorkSource</b> 15 Map Dr. Mankato MN 56001	<b>507-386-5659</b>
<b>Vocational Rehabilitation Services (VRS)</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza. Suite 1600C Mankato MN 56001	<b>507-344-2622</b>
<b>AmeriCare Mobility Van</b> 307 Pine St Mankato MN 56001	<b>507-625-6741</b>
<b>NAMI</b> National Alliance on Mental Illness	<b>1-800-626-4435</b>
<b>SMILES Center for Independent Living</b> 505 State St. S #6 Waseca, MN 56093	<b>507-833-1339</b>
<b>Social Security Administration</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1550 Mankato, MN 56001	<b>1-877-457-1734</b>
<b>State Services for the Blind</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1600B Mankato, MN 56001	<b>507-344-2604</b>
<b>State of MN Deaf and Hard of Hearing Services</b> 12 Civic Center Plaza, Suite 1670	<b>507-344-2840</b>

**The Clothes Closet**  
105 3rd St. E  
Winthrop, MN 55396

Open every 3rd Saturday of the month 9am-noon.  
If in need of clothes, take what you need free of charge.

<b>Treasure House Inc.</b> 1700 S. Broadway New Ulm, MN 56073	<b>507-354-6108</b>
<b>Treasure Hunt Thrift Shop</b> 302 Tiell Dr. St. James, MN 56081	<b>507-375-4100</b>

## Faribault and Martin Counties

<b>Mixed Nuts</b> 218 Grant St. Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-3544</b>
<b>Salvation Army</b> 62 Downtown Plaza Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-3717</b>
<b>Twelve Baskets Re-Sale</b> 210 Downtown Plaza Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-235-6195</b>
<b>The Garage Sale Store</b> 1119 Lake Ave Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-236-8811</b>
<b>The Giddy Up Boutique</b> 105 Downtown Plaza Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-236-1977</b>
<b>Weather and Worn</b> 214 State St. N Fairmont, MN 56031	<b>507-236-5438</b>

## Le Sueur and Waseca Counties

<b>Barrels of Hope</b> 210 Lake Street W Waterville, MN 56096 <i>Call for hours and to make an appointment.</i>	<b>507-412-9871</b>
<b>Common Thread</b> 126 2nd St. S Waterville, MN 56096	<b>507-362-8469</b>
<b>Hands of Friendship</b> 27980 Koeper Ave NE New Prague, MN 56071	<b>952-758-5114</b>