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July 2, 2025

Dear Crete Council Members:

I feel like I can repeat the last years' letters! We just continue working hard and continue to grow here in Saline County! Crete was definitely on that trend!

In the Fall Medicare D Open Enrollment of 2024, we helped approximately 160 Saline County Seniors saved approximately \$225,000 during Medicare D Open Enrollment! We continue to go remote to Saline cities and villages and the numbers keep growing! We will always be SHIP trained and certified to provide the best advice to our expanding retirement population.

Exercise is so important for Seniors to maintain and has been one of my major goals as Director. The participants in our Strong Bodies classes are thriving. A new exercise program, Chair and Gentle Yoga, will be starting soon that will help Seniors build and maintain muscle strength and balance. We held a pickle ball class and continue to have open pickleball play at Sokol and the park. We hosted a Mile and Smile program for the Summer for participants to track their steps or exercise and then we treated them with a small gift card! We started a new Tai Chi class at the Crete Library too and plan on doing more in the Fall!

The Hispanic Outreach Program in Crete has proven to be very rewarding and successful with more clients attending. The Crete Home Delivered Meals continues to flourish benefiting Seniors in the area to keep them home longer!

SCAS works closely with other organizations such as Aging Partners, Public Health Solutions and Cornhusker United Way to assist Seniors with needs like rent, utilities and legal matters.

This year, I am asking for the same amount of assistance, \$7.85/capita. We truly appreciate your support and would not be able to make as big of an impact without it!

THIS YEAR WE ARE ASKING CRETE FOR FINANCIAL SUPPORT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$8,007.00.

If you have any questions regarding our request of services, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours in Service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lori Moldenhauer".

Lori Moldenhauer, Director
Saline County Aging Services



To maintain the level of services currently available to Saline County residents, the Saline County Aging Services Coalition is requesting local support. We are asking for the same rate as last year. Each town will be requested to allocate \$7.85 for each elderly citizen residing in their census area. The County will be asked to allocate the same rate for each rural citizen that resides in the County outside the census areas of the towns.

PROPOSAL –2025/2026

7.85Location	Total Pop	Aged 60+	% Pop 60+	Per Capita 60+	Total Amount
County	2,824	701	24.8	\$7.85	\$5,503
Crete	6960	1020	14.7	\$7.85	\$8007
DeWitt	513	114	22.2	\$7.85	\$895
Dorchester	586	111	18.9	\$7.85	\$871
Friend	1027	325	31.6	\$7.85	\$2551
Swanton	94	21	22.3	\$7.85	\$165
Tobias	106	36	34	\$7.85	\$283
Western	235	74	31.5	\$7.85	\$581
Wilber	1855	403	21.7	\$7.85	\$3164
City/Town/ Village/County Totals	14,200	2805	19.8	\$7.85	\$22020



Improving and enriching the quality of life and independence of older persons of Saline County.



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Serving Senior Citizens in Saline County

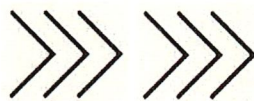
- Medicare
- Medicaid
- Social Security
- Foot Clinics
- Feed America
- Homestead Exemption
- Exercise Classes



Local help for Nebraskans
with Medicare

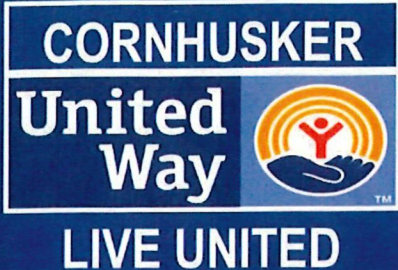
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