## American Rescue Plan Act Senior Meal Program COVID-Related Operating Grants Program



On July 18, 2023, the Board of Supervisors approved agreements totaling \$218,000 in American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding to support programs that enhance the nutrition of seniors by providing home-delivered meals to senior citizens, aged 60 years and older, in the County of Santa Barbara. Since that date, these programs have provided over 307,000 home-delivered meals to over 5,500 seniors. Each program's individual accomplishments from July 2023 through March 2024 are shown in Table 1 below. Staff anticipates that all eight of the senior meal program providers will meet or exceed the goals established in their Agreements with the County of Santa Barbara.

Table 1. Accomplishments from 7/1/2023 through 3/31/2024

Senior Meal Provider	Totals 7/1/23 - 3/31/24		Contract Agreement Totals		Percentage of Completion at 75% of Contract Term	
	Seniors	Meals	Seniors	Meals	Seniors	Meals
	Served	Delivered	Served	Delivered	Served	Delivered
Atterdag at Home	541	18,266	105	24,000	515%	76%
Food from the Heart	601	22,308	300	40,000	200%	56%
Organic Soup Kitchen	1,450	132,742	1500	234,000	97%	57%
Santa Barbara Meals on Wheels	925	40,077	350	47,500	264%	84%
Santa Maria Valley Fish Meals on Wheels	157	14,236	150	20,000	105%	71%
Santa Ynez Valley People Helping People	126	39,850	200	46,860	63%	85%
Santa Ynez Valley Sr. Advisory Council Solvang	1,814	6,239	450	8,000	403%	78%
Santa Ynez Valley Sr. Citizens Foundation Buellton	506	97,932	400	100,000	127%	98%
Totals	6,120	371,650	3,455	520,360		