



# FILLMORE COUNTY

## IMPACT REPORT 2026

**Semcac is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3) Community Action Agency designated to serve Southeast Minnesota counties:**

Dodge, Fillmore, Freeborn, Houston, Mower, Steele & Winona.  
Some programs in Olmsted, Goodhue, Rice, Wabasha & Waseca

Semcac provides services to assist low-income and/or at-risk populations and addresses community needs.



### MISSION

EMPOWER & ADVOCATE FOR PEOPLE TO ENHANCE THEIR SELF-SUFFICIENCY BY MAXIMIZING COMMUNITY RESOURCES.



### Locations

#### Administrative Office / Headquarters

- 204 E Elm St. Rushford, MN

#### Fillmore County Outreach Center Fillmore County Food Shelves

- 515 Washington St. NW Preston, MN
- 113 E Jesse St. Rushford, MN

#### Senior Dining

- Kenilworth Apartments 607 Kenilworth Ave S Lanesboro, MN
- Mabel Fire Hall 109 N Elm Mabel, MN
- Tenborg Building 113 E Jesse St. Rushford, MN
- Community Center 200 S Broadway Spring Valley, MN

#### Semcac Fillmore County Workforce

.....> 50 Full time and 30 Part time <.....



### Annual Full Agency Results



Served  
**17,522**  
INDIVIDUALS



From  
**9,115**  
HOUSEHOLDS



Provided  
**56,191**  
BUS RIDES

**36,690** hours donated  
by **1,045** volunteers



# Semcac's Impact in Fillmore County

Data from fiscal year or calendar year 2025



## SENIOR SERVICES

Empowers seniors to maintain their health and nutritional well-being and allows seniors to remain in their homes.

**12,039**

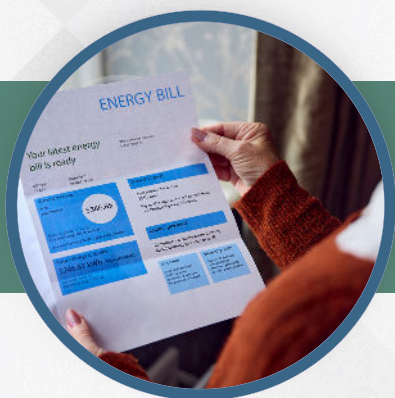
Hot, nutritious meals were served to **196** seniors in a congregate setting.

**30,010**

Nutritious meals were delivered to **261** home-bound seniors.

**70**

Seniors and/or caregivers received assistance to identify needs, access resources and make informed decisions.



## ENERGY ASSISTANCE

Heats homes during the winter season and extends budgets for low income households.

**434**

Households received assistance with their utility payments.

**87**

Households received additional crisis energy assistance.



## WEATHERIZATION

Lowers energy bills for low-income people.

**13**

Households had their homes weatherized.

**4**

Households received home conservation services funded through the local utility companies.

**20**

Households received energy related repairs, such as furnace replacements.



## HOME REPAIR LOAN PROGRAM

Improves living conditions for low-income households and preserves quality, affordable housing.

**5**

Households were assisted with rehab through the MN Housing Rehab Loan Program.

**6**

Households were assisted with needed home repairs through the Rushford EDA loan program and DEED Small Cities Development Program in Harmony.



## HEAD START & EARLY HEAD START

Empowers families & young children for school readiness and provides Head Start families with comprehensive services.

**9**

Children & families were educated at the Head Start classrooms.

**15**

Parents were supported during the early years of their child's life.

**1**

Children (ages birth-3 years) received Early Head Start services at their homes.



## TRANSPORTATION

Ensures people get to their medical and dental appointments, Senior Dining and other locations to meet essential needs.

**7,735**

Rides were provided on Rolling Hills Transit buses.

**1,263**

Rides were provided for **154** people through the Volunteer Driver Program.

**101**

Rides were provided through Rolling Hills Mobility.



## OUTREACH AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

Supports people through a crisis and allows them to utilize their limited income until they reach stability.

**59**

Households received crisis financial assistance for transportation, utilities or medical needs impacting **144** individuals.

**504**

Households accessed food Rushord and Preston food shelves, impacting **1,292** individuals.

**499**

Households were provided information and referrals.

**174**

Households were provided with holiday/Christmas presents during the holiday season impacting **467** individuals.

**20**

Households were assisted with rent or mortgage payments or motel vouchers to prevent homelessness, impacting **60** individuals.