

NEWS RELEASE - Area Agency on Aging District 7, Inc.

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AAA7 Jackson Office Hosts Ribbon Cutting/Open House

The Area Agency on Aging District 7 recently hosted a special Ribbon Cutting and Open House event to mark the relocation of the AAA7's Administrative Office and Waverly Office to a combined location in Jackson, Ohio. The office is located at 1 Acy Avenue, near the roundabout on McCarty Lane. The AAA7 covers ten counties in southern Ohio and also has office locations in Adams County (West Union) and Scioto County (Wheelersburg).

The AAA7 worked jointly with the Jackson County Chamber of Commerce and also partnered with the Jackson County Health Department to administer flu vaccines for adults age 19 and over during the Open House through a grant the AAA7 has from funding by the US Administration for Community Living.

The AAA7 Office in Jackson also features a Training Center that is used for staff and community training needs as well as small events hosted by the Agency. Those who attended the event were able to take tours of the new office, network and learn more about the services and programs provided through the AAA7.

"We were delighted to welcome the community to our new Jackson Office and have the opportunity to engage with the individuals in attendance," said Debbie Gulley, Interim Executive Director at the AAA7. "We are happy to be a part of the Jackson community, which positions us a little more central to our ten-county district and provides a better use of space combining two of our offices."

For more information about the AAA7, call 1-800-582-7277 or e-mail info@aaa7.org.

Your local Area Agency on Aging District 7, Inc. provides services on a non-discriminatory basis in ten counties in Southern Ohio including Adams, Brown, Gallia, Highland, Jackson, Lawrence, Pike, Ross, Scioto and Vinton. These services are available to help older adults and those with disabilities live safely and independently in their residence of choice through services paid for by Medicare, Medicaid, other federal and state resources, as well as private pay. The AAA7's Resource Center is also available to anyone in the community looking for information or assistance with long-term care options. Available Monday through Friday from 8:00 am until 4:30 pm, the Resource Center is a valuable contact for learning more about options and what programs and services are available for assistance.

Those interested in learning more can call toll-free at 1-800-582-7277 (TTY: 711). Here, individuals can speak directly with a specially-trained Agency staff member who will assist them

with information surrounding the programs and services that are available to best serve their needs. The Agency also offers an assessment at no cost for those who are interested in learning more. Information is also available on www.aaa7.org, or the Agency can be contacted through e-mail at info@aaa7.org. The Agency also has a Facebook page located at www.facebook.com/AreaAgencyOnAgingDistrict7.

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Ribbon Cutting for the Area Agency on Aging District 7 Jackson Office, located at 1 Acy Avenue.



Main Entrance Lobby



Training Center