## **2016 OVERVIEW OF SERVICES**

## **TOWNSHIP: Village of Romeoville**

Thank you for the opportunity to present <u>Village of Romeoville</u> with information about Senior Services of Will County, a not-for-profit 501(c)(3) agency that helped 18,000 Will County citizens over the age of 65 last year live self-sufficient, healthy, and safe lives. Senior Services provides a safety net for some of our most vulnerable citizens – our seniors. We provide programs and services that enhance quality-of-life for seniors, increase their safety and security, lessen loneliness and isolation, promote healthy aging, and allow individuals to remain in their own homes as long as possible.

For more than 50 years, the mission of Senior Services of Will County has been to enhance the quality of life for older persons. Founded in 1966 as the "Riverside Senior Citizens Center of Will County," the agency was the second senior center to be established in Illinois under the Older American's Act. After changing its name to the Senior Services of Will County in 1982, the organization was named an Information and Referral Agency by the Northeastern Illinois Area Agency on Aging.

Participant Counts		
Category	Description	Persons
Classes	Educational	30
Meetings	Gatherings	10
Social Services	Tax Preparation/Bus Passes	150
Case Assessments	Nursing Home Screens	89
Case Management	Managed care engagements	1078
Information and Assistance	Handled inquiries for resources	309
Safe At Home	Simple home maintenance calls	13
Telephone Calls	Calls handled	1752