



## Press Release – For Immediate Release

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Florence SC- Emergency Meal Distribution for Florence County Seniors

SCA employees are on standby to take applications for this second round of the shelf stable meal boxes. The application process will be over the phone and a drive thru pick up is scheduled for June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at two locations.

Any Florence County Senior Citizen (\*SCA non client) experiencing health issues and/or limitations. We will provide one box with 5 meals at a first-come, first-serve basis, at two locations. If you have received a box at another time, you are still eligible to receive another.

All precautions are being taken to prevent the spread of the Corona Virus during the meal distribution such as no contact, 6 feet distancing, mask, gloves and implementing a drive thru for this Emergency Senior Nutrition response. Seniors will be asked to remain in their vehicles during the drive thru distribution.

If you are looking for ways to help our local senior citizens during this crisis, you can contribute a monetary donation to SCA at: <https://seniorcitizensassociation/donate> or you can mail in a donation and mark it for the disaster relief fund.

Application eligibility:

- 60 years or older
- Lives in Florence County
- Experiencing health issues and/or limitations
- Not a current SCA client

Leatherman Senior Center- 600 Senior Way, Florence SC 29505 and Lake City Senior Center- 198 North Acline Drive, Lake City, SC 29560.

The Senior Citizens Association in Florence County (SCA) is a private, non-profit 501 (c) (3) community-based organization. SCA relies on grants, donations, contributions, membership fees and assistance from volunteers to provide services and assistance to Florence County Senior Citizens.

To apply for this Emergency Meal Relief Program call 843-669-6761

Lake City, Johnsonville and Scranton areas call extension 223-Fannie Kennedy

For all areas other call:

Brittany Extension 226

Jesseca Extension 231

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