HEALTHY GENERATIONS AREA AGENCY ON AGING

Formerly Rappahannock Area Agency on Aging

MISSION: TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR ALL OLDER CITIZENS

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TO PROMOTE AND ASSURE THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF SERVICE ATTAINABLE FOR EVERY OLDER PERSON IN

PLANNING DISTRICT 16,

WHICH WILL PROVIDE THE OPPORTUNITY TO LIVE A MORE DIGNIFIED AND MEANINGFUL LIFE.

Private Non-Profit established in 1976 to fulfill the requirements of the **Older Americans Act**

Governed By:

- An appointed member of the City Council and Board of Supervisors from each locality served;
- A citizen appointee from each locality served;
- The Chairperson of the Advisory Council and;
- 2 At-Large members if appointed.

City of Fredericksburg and the Counties of Caroline, King George, Spotsylvania, and Stafford

Older Americans Act of 1965 as Reauthorized 2020

Provides essential services to our most vulnerable seniors age 60 and older.



It saves taxpayers money

OAA's assistance makes common sense in fiscal terms, too — it helps save precious federal and state tax dollars by keeping seniors out of nursing homes and preventing unnecessary hospital readmissions.

SUPPORT THE OLDER AMERICANS ACT

Preventing and detecting elder abuse

Assisting family caregivers with information and referral, counseling and respite care

Supporting nutrition programs, including Meals-on-Wheels

Providing part-time community service training and employment. including programs to help older workers re-enter the work force

Providing home and communitybased services, including preventive health services and transportation assistance

It keeps seniors in their homes



More than 85 percent of recipients of OAA-funded services say that this assistance helped them to remain in their home, where the majority of Americans want to live as they age.



Caregiver Services

Communication, Referral, Information & Assistance Disease Prevention & Health Promotion **Elder Abuse Prevention & Intervention Emergency Service-Financial Assistance** Food Bank Referrals/Commodity Supplemental Food Program Home Delivered Meals Homemaker Services Information & Referral Services Legal Assistance (Referral) Long-Term Care Ombudsman Program **Mobility Options Transportation** Nutrition Education and Counseling

Options Counseling Senior Cafes/Congregate Meals Senior Cool Care Senior Farmers Market Nutrition Program Senior Medicare Patrol Senior Resources Directory Telephone Reassurance/Checking Title V – Senior Community Services Employment Training **Transportation: Information and Resources** Virginia Insurance Counseling/Advocacy Wellness Programs Volunteer Opportunities







What does the future hold?

The number of Americans ages 65 and older is expected to have more than doubled between the years 1980 and 2040, reaching 80 million in 2040.

The number of adults ages 85 and older, the group most often needing help with basic personal care, will nearly quadruple between 2000 and 2040.

ensure older adults' ability to age in their home and



- HGAAA must be able to provide the necessary services to community.

What can you do?

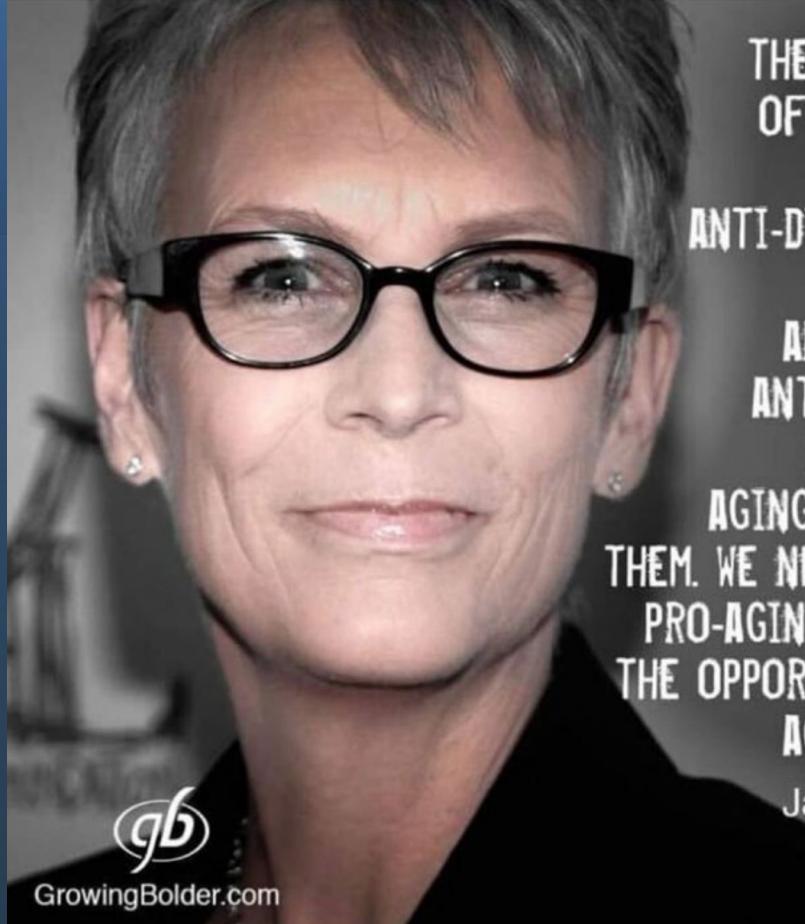
Know that

Healthy Generations Area Agency on Aging is here to answer questions and assist in aging in place.

through your contributions and fundraising assistance.



- Pass along volunteer opportunities.
- Invest in the future of Older Americans



THERE ARE PLENTY OF THINGS TO BE ANTI ABOUT: ANTI-DISCRIMINATION, ANTI-DRUG, ANTI-OPPRESION, ANTI-POVERTY AND ANTI-SICKNESS. AGING ISN'T ONE OF THEM. WE NEED TO BECOME PRO-AGING AND EMBRACE THE OPPORTUNITIES THAT AGING PROVIDES. **Jamie Lee Curtis**