Warroad Senior Living Center Partners with Northwest Regional Transportation Coordination Council to create new Volunteer Driver Program

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The Warroad Senior Living Center (WSLC), together with the Northwest Regional Transportation Coordination Council (NWRTCC), announce a new volunteer driver program to transport WSLC residents to and from medical appointments.

In times of disruption, we are reminded of the irreplaceable value of community—of neighbors caring for neighbors, of exercising our mutual giftedness, and everyday people taking the initiative to creatively solve problems without waiting for others to create a solution.

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, ordinary people in communities are organizing across the globe like never before to pool resources and co-creating strong structures for mutual care. Local institutions are finding creative ways to invest in and support community capacities.

If you have been wondering what you can do to help, here is an opportunity for you. WSLC is looking for volunteers to drive their residents to and from medical appointments in the community and in nearby towns. Do you have a free morning or afternoon every now and then, to share with your neighbors? WSLC provides the van and you provide the driving and companionship.

Open house and recruitment fair will be held Tuesday April 26 from 1pm – 3pm at the Warroad Senior Living Center. Refreshments will be served, and the program coordinators will be on hand to answer any of your questions. Demonstrations will be given of the simple safety measures involved with loading and unloading an accessible van. Please consider donating your time to your neighbors in need.

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