

# COVID-19 RESPONSE

MARCH 25 — MAY 25 2020

Since a state of emergency was declared by the City of Ottawa on March 25, the community has generously stepped up in this time of crisis to ensure seniors and adults with disabilities continue to be cared for and receive nutritious meals. Below are some results from two months of action.

MEALS ON  
WHEELS



LA POPOTE  
ROULANTE

OTTAWA

80%

active volunteers  
temporarily lost

Many active volunteers are seniors and are staying home as recommended by public health agencies. An overwhelming number of individuals and families have applied to volunteer. Thank you!

volunteers  
virtually trained

89

Volunteers are the backbone of Meals on Wheels. Their hard work and dedication is what keeps our wheels spinning.

1,611  
volunteer  
hours logged



“I enjoy sharing a smile and a few words of encouragement during this difficult time of isolation and loneliness.”

~ Mary S.  
Meals on Wheels volunteer

“Even with physical distancing, I’ve been able to establish a relationship with several of my clients.”

~ Wayne V.  
Meals on Wheels volunteer