



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **Council for Older Adults begins 2008 Senior Farmers' Market Voucher Program**

The Council for Older Adults is providing local seniors the opportunity to obtain fresh, nutritious, locally grown fruits, vegetables, herbs and other foods from Delaware County farmers' markets, through a free voucher program. Participating Farmer Markets in Delaware County are located in Sunbury, downtown Delaware, Powell, and Delaware County Fairgrounds. Participants will be given up to 40 vouchers this season, each worth \$2, to be redeemed for fresh fruits, vegetables and other foods. Vouchers may be used through October. Participants must be county residents, 60 or older & fall within specific income guidelines. Individuals with an annual income at or below \$20,808 or \$28,008 for a couple, will qualify to participate in the program. Anyone unable to pick up or shop with the vouchers, may name up to 2 representatives to do so.

Older adults may complete an application at the Council for Older Adults office, 800 Cheshire Road, Monday – Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Call the Council for Older Adults for more information at (740) 363-6677. Funding for this program is provided through the Delaware County Senior Services Levy.

The Council for Older Adults is a local nonprofit organization responsible for planning, developing, coordinating and providing services for older adults and their families in Delaware County. Among the Council's services are the county-wide Meals on Wheels program and Senior Choices, a program that provides comprehensive care management and in-home services. Services provided by the Council are made possible in part by funding through our local senior services levy.