



Kickoff Celebration for Fort Bend Seniors Meals on Wheels' Secret Santa to Seniors presented by OCuSOFT

ROSENBERG, Texas (November 03, 2017) — On Wednesday, November 8th, 2017, OCuSOFT will be hosting their annual kickoff celebration for Fort Bend Seniors Meals on Wheels' (FBS) *Secret Santa to Seniors* at OCuSOFT, 30444 Southwest Freeway, Rosenberg, from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.

This annual celebration is the official kickoff for the FBS *Secret Santa to Seniors* project, and the time for volunteers to “adopt” seniors and provide them with much-needed gifts for the holiday season. Guests will hear from the owner of OCuSOFT, Cynthia Barratt, along with our own CEO, Manuela Arroyos, about how they can be part of this cherished holiday tradition and put a smile on the face of a local senior, all while enjoying holiday-themed beverages and desserts provided by OCuSOFT.

“Each year, we look forward to rounding up an abundance of volunteers in the holiday spirit to collect, wrap and deliver gifts to our seniors. It really puts a smile on their faces,” said FBS chief executive officer, Manuela Arroyos. “The holiday season is the most wonderful time of the year, and there is so much to be thankful for. This is our chance to give back to our seniors, and in addition to a hot meal, we like to give our seniors a little something extra. In some cases, the gifts we give may be the only ones they receive during this season.”

A cherished holiday tradition, Fort Bend Seniors' *Secret Santa to Seniors* creates special memories for homebound seniors in Fort Bend and Waller counties on the Meals on Wheels program. Seniors' “Wish Lists” are displayed as ornaments on Christmas trees, which are then fulfilled by both individuals and organizations from around the area. Nearly 1,000 seniors receive presents because of the community's generosity. These wish lists include basic necessities such as gowns, socks, slippers and household linens.

For more information about the kickoff celebration or about *Secret Santa to Seniors*, contact FBS Communications Specialist, Sehar Tejani at 281-633-7023 or sehar@fortbendseniors.org.

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About Fort Bend Seniors Meals on Wheels

Fort Bend Seniors Meals on Wheels, a United Way Agency, is committed to helping seniors remain independent by enhancing their quality of life through services and resources. Fort Bend Seniors is qualified under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service Code as a non-profit corporation, and as such contributions are tax deductible to the fullest extent as allowed by law. For more information about Fort Bend

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