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**Melrose Rotary Club Donates New Bath Towels and New Sheets to Mystic Valley Elder Services' Emergency Closet**

**(Malden/Melrose, MA)**— The Rotary Club of Melrose recently did a member “drive” to collect new bath towels and new sheet sets to fill Mystic Valley Elder Services' Emergency Closet.

The Mystic Valley Elder Services' Emergency Closet provides its care managers who work with low-income older adults and adults living with disabilities a place to access new towels, new sheets, new blankets, toiletries, and large print puzzle books for their consumers who need them. Having these items in the agency immediately available can make a huge difference in someone's life and they depend solely on donations.

If you are interested in donating to the Emergency Closet, please contact the Mystic Valley Elder Services Development office at [development@mves.org](mailto:development@mves.org).



*Melrose Rotary Club member and Mystic Valley Elder Services Board member Jim Oosterman (right) presents Mystic Valley Elder Services Director of Development Jenny Vanasse with more than 100 bath towels for the organization's Emergency Closet.*

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### **About Mystic Valley Elder Services**

*Celebrating more than 45 Years of giving older adults their independence, Mystic Valley Elder Services is a non-profit agency located in Malden, Mass., that provides essential home- and community-based care and resources to older adults, adults living with disabilities, and caregivers who reside in Chelsea, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, North Reading, Reading, Revere, Stoneham, Wakefield and Winthrop, regardless of their income level. Agency services include coordination of home care, transportation, Meals on Wheels, and information and referrals. For more information, please call (781) 324-7705 or visit [www.mves.org](http://www.mves.org).*