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## How Older Adults Are Finding Purpose in Pima County, AZ

Last month, the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a) [awarded six volunteer team awards](#). Here is one program's story.

An all-volunteer team of 25 older adults initially developed by the [Pima Council on Aging](#) has linked thousands of prospective volunteers with 83 community-based agencies in Green Valley-Sahuarita, AZ and produced a \$1.87 million return on investment last year for the program and community. Now considered a major recruiter of volunteers and trainer of volunteer coordinators, the [Green Valley-Sahuarita Volunteer Clearinghouse \(GVSVC\)](#) project gives purpose and assistance to older adults. [Read the full profile](#).

John Geiger, GVSVC's Program Coordinator (and volunteer), shared, "All of us volunteers are thrilled

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with the award. We're surprised that we are receiving it for doing something that we love to do. It has given us an extra boost to do more. It's also a tribute to the way in which PCOA creates partnerships and is respected throughout Pima County."

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