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**BANK OF AMERICA CHARITABLE FOUNDATION, INC. AWARDS
GRANT TO
MEALS ON WHEELS OF CENTRAL MARYLAND, INC.**

The **Bank of America Charitable Foundation, Inc.** has awarded a \$10,000 grant to **Meals on Wheels of Central Maryland, Inc.** in support of the nonprofit's charitable mission. The grant will enable Meals on Wheels to continue to provide home-delivered meals to individuals in Baltimore City and the greater Baltimore metropolitan region who are homebound and unable to shop for their groceries and prepare their own meals due to advanced age, illness, injury, or disability (either temporary or permanent).

Building on a long-standing tradition of investing in the communities it serves, the Bank of America Charitable Foundation, funded by Bank of America, gave more than \$200 million in 2008, making the bank the most generous financial

institution in the world and the second largest donor of all U.S. corporations in cash contributions. Through Team Bank of America, bank associate volunteers contributed more than 900,000 hours in 2008 to enhance the quality of life in their communities nationwide. For more information about Bank of America Corporate Philanthropy, please visit

www.bankofamerica.com/foundation.

Meals on Wheels of Central Maryland, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit charitable organization that serves people who are homebound in Baltimore City, and Anne Arundel, Baltimore, Carroll, Harford, and Howard counties, as well as limited areas of Frederick and Montgomery counties. Meals on Wheels will celebrate in 2010 its 50th Anniversary of service to this population. Visit www.mealsonwheelsmd.org to volunteer, obtain service, or to make a financial contribution.

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