



## Corrections and Community Supervision

### Ogdensburg Correctional Facility Donates Fresh Produce to Local Food Pantries

Staff and inmates at Ogdensburg Correctional Facility worked throughout the spring and summer to plant, grow and harvest fresh vegetables in the facility gardens with the ultimate goal of donating the produce to area food pantries located in St. Lawrence County. In all, 24,961 lbs. of vegetables were distributed to area food pantries and eventually found their way to the homes of those in need. This was rewarding experience for everyone involved, including the operators of the pantries, who were excited and grateful to receive the donations. As the number of people requiring the assistance of the pantries has steadily increased from year-to-year, the staff and inmates plan to once again expand the garden area in hopes of increasing the production of food again next year.

