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DESOTO COMPANY MAKES CHRISTMAS MERRIER FOR THE HOMEBOUND ELDERLY

Employees at Solar Turbines in DeSoto have been delivering Meals on Wheels for the Visiting Nurse Association for more than six years. In 2007 they began adding a holiday touch to their meal deliveries. Employees set up an angel tree at the company to collect gifts for those receiving Meals on Wheels.

Brian Whitlow, who coordinates Meals on Wheels deliveries for Solar Turbines, and co-workers Meagan Cook, Tracy Ramsey, Beth Searles, and Julia Vickers made Meals on Wheels deliveries on December 22 to the homes of DeSoto homebound elderly. In addition to the meals, they brought Christmas bags containing the gifts.

“It’s made Christmas special not only for those receiving Meals on Wheels, but for us, too,” Brian stated.

Information about becoming a Meals on Wheels volunteer in Dallas County can be obtained by contacting Betsy Cox, Director of Volunteers for the Visiting Nurse Association, at (214) 689-2210 or coxbe@vnatexas.org.



Solar Turbines employees (left to right) Meagan Cook, Tracy Ramsey, Brian Whitlow, Julia Vickers, and Beth Searles delivered Meals on Wheels and Christmas gift bags to DeSoto homebound elderly on December 22.



Solar Turbines employees Julia Vickers (center) and Tracy Ramsey delivering Meals on Wheels and Christmas gift bags.

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