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OPPORTUNITY BANK DONATES ADDITIONAL \$25,000 TO LOCAL FOOD ASSISTANCE ORGANIZATIONS
Second round of assistance committed to address continued increase in demand

HELENA, MT, April 30, 2020 – Opportunity Bank of Montana today announced \$25,000 in additional donations to Montana hunger-relief organizations for a combined total of nearly \$50,000 in donations to serve the continued demand created by the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

“This is a time of urgent need,” said Pete Johnson, President and CEO of Opportunity Bank. “We saw the positive impact of our initial donations and were moved to do more. The most vulnerable in our communities need help now more than ever. Our goal with these additional donations is to get resources into the hands of these critically important organizations to meet the needs of our fellow Montanans.”

Local management selected the nonprofit in their area to receive the donations. The money will be sent directly to food banks or food pantries in 16 Montana communities where Opportunity Bank operates, and will include more than \$5,000 in funds distributed to organizations in Helena where Opportunity Bank is headquartered.

Opportunity Bank lobbies have been closed since March 20 to protect the health and safety of staff and customers. The Bank continues serving customers by appointment, or through its drive-up or walk-up locations, online banking, ATMs, mobile app, and telephone customer service. Lobbies will reopen as soon as feasible under Governor Bullock’s Phase 1 Guidelines. Opportunity Bank is committed to providing assistance for those financially impacted by the Coronavirus outbreak. For more information on our response to the Coronavirus, visit opportunitybank.com/coronavirus-response.

About Opportunity Bank of Montana:

Founded in 1922, Opportunity Bank of Montana operates as the fourth largest bank headquartered in Montana, and the leading Farm Service Agency lender in Montana. With 24 branches in 16 communities across the state, our mission is to provide strong financial futures for Montanans. For more information, visit opportunitybank.com.

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