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**Denmark State Bank Pledges \$100,000 to Community Relief Efforts and another \$20,000  
in Appreciation of Essential Workers**

DENMARK, Wisconsin (May 14, 2020) – The Board of Directors of Denmark State Bank has approved donations totaling \$100,000 in support of local food pantries and other non-profit organizations dedicated to those who have been most affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. A total of \$62,500 has already been distributed in each of the markets we serve.

“Community is at the heart of who we are,” stated Scot Thompson, CEO and President of Denmark State Bank, “with a history that spans over 110 years, we’ve survived a lot of ups and downs, but we come together in support of one another and are grateful that we are able to provide some support during this crisis.”

*Grant recipients include:*

St. Vincent de Paul – Green Bay  
St. Vincent de Paul - Manitowoc  
Ruby’s Pantry at Our Savior’s Lutheran  
Holy Family-Brillion Food Pantry at Holy Family Catholic Church  
Faith’s Pantry at Faith Lutheran Church  
Paul’s Pantry  
Prince of Peace Parish  
De Pere Christian Outreach  
Morrison Zion Food Pantry  
Shawano Area Food Pantry  
Sheboygan Boys & Girls Club  
Sheboygan County Food Bank  
Meals on Wheels of Sheboygan County, Inc.

Additionally, in an effort to both recognize essential workers and support local businesses, we’ve partnered with the Federal Home Loan Bank of Chicago to distribute \$20,000 in meals and gift cards to essential workers in the communities we serve. “It’s a small token of appreciation to those who remain dedicated to providing our communities with essential services,” Thompson furthered.

**About Denmark State Bank**

Denmark State Bank is an independent community bank with eight banking offices in Bellevue, Denmark, Howard, Lawrence, Reedsville, Shawano, Sheboygan and Whitelaw serving primarily Brown, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Outagamie and Sheboygan Counties. Denmark State Bank offers a wide variety of financial products and services including loans, deposits, mortgage banking, and investment services. For more information, visit [DenmarkState.com](http://DenmarkState.com).

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