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News Release

WRIGHT-HENNEPIN EMPLOYEES DONATE MORE THAN \$1,700, 102 POUNDS OF FOOD TO ANNANDALE FOOD SHELF

Rockford, Minn. (December 30, 2016) — Wright-Hennepin Cooperative Electric Association (WH) employees donated more than \$1,700 and 102 pounds of food to the Annandale Food Shelf in December.

Employees donated money and nonperishable food items upon learning that the reserves at the food shelf were low. In exchange for their donations, employees wore jeans instead of dress attire throughout December, or were entered into prize drawings.

"I am pleased and proud of the generosity displayed by so many of our employees," said Tim Sullivan, CEO of WH. "I hope the contributions from our cooperative helped families in need over the holiday season."

"Wright-Hennepin has been incredibly good to us," said Jean Skomoroh, who operates the food shelf with her husband, Ed. "A huge 'Thank you!' from all of us for this generous donation!"

Wright-Hennepin Cooperative Electric Association is a member-owned, not-for-profit electric utility that provides power to rural Wright County and western Hennepin County. The cooperative has been a corporate citizen to the area since 1937 and currently serves more than 50,000 electric accounts. It is headquartered in Rockford, Minn.

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Chrissy Emery (left center) and Stephanie Merrill (right center) presented the Annandale Food Shelf with 102 pounds of food and more than \$1,700 in donations on behalf of Wright-Hennepin Cooperative Electric Association employees in December. Accepting the donation for the food shelf were Managing Directors Jean (left) and Ed Skomoroh (right).