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CONTRIBUTORS “WOW” SAFP’S CAPITAL CAMPAIGN

”Getting on the bandwagon” is turning into a catchy phrase for the Schulenburg Area Food Pantry’s Capital Campaign. Recent weeks have seen this one-time event to raise funds for a much-needed expansion to the SAFP at the Civic Center in Schulenburg leap to \$155,000.00 of pledges (\$190,000.00 is needed). The Schmidt Family Foundation of Schulenburg has graciously increased their original pledge for the Capital Campaign to a whopping \$60,000.00. This foundation was the first contributor of SAFP marking the kick-off to what is now becoming a very successful campaign.

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Pictured is Roy Bucek (center) with SAFP Board of Directors

Another local contributor and legacy to the area, Roy Bucek, has graciously increased his pledge from \$5,000.00 to \$10,000.00. Mr. Bucek, who was recently profiled in *12th Man Magazine*, is a well-known businessman and entrepreneur in the Schulenburg area. Mr. Bucek’s take on life and helping is simple. “It’s been my observation that success is determined by your perspective,” states Roy. Bucek continues, “The more optimistic you are the better chance you are going to have to be successful.”

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Pictured are Kathy Quinlan & Debra Blansitt of SAFF with Helen Galipp (Vice President) & Ronnie Herzik (Executive Vice President) of Fayetteville Bank

More good financial news came through the Fayetteville Bank of Schulenburg. A check for \$2,000.00 was given to Kathy Quinlan and Debra Blansitt of SAFF for the Capital Campaign. Ronnie Herzik-Executive Vice-President and Helen Galipp-Vice-President is pictured making the contribution and challenging other businesses to help in this worthwhile endeavor.

“We are pleased with the financial support of our great community,” states Kathy Quinlan, President of the Schulenburg Area Food Pantry. “Financial pledges of amounts great and small are welcome. This is a one-time Campaign Event and there will be no fundraisers in the future. The Schulenburg Area Food Pantry’s Board of Directors extends its heartfelt thanks to all.”

Pledge information may be obtained by going to www.schulenburgfoodpantry.com, e-mail schulenburgareafoodpantry@cvctx.com contacting any board member, or calling Cathy Chaloupka, Marketing Coordinator at 979-561-6667.

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