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Independence Bank donates \$1,776 to Franklin Co. Women and Family Shelter

On June 8th Independence Bank donated \$1,776 to the Franklin County Women and Family Shelter. The donation was a result of Independence Bank employees and family members hosting a carwash for the shelter, in conjunction with their latest Community Day on May 21st. This is not the first time Independence Bank has partnered with the new Women and Family Shelter.

President Greg Burton said, “We are pleased to be able to support such a worthwhile cause. We know what a difference the shelter makes providing assistance to families here in Franklin County. Our employees are committed to making a positive impact on the communities we serve.”

Executive Director of the Franklin County Women and Family Shelter, Janet Gates said, “I am so very excited and encouraged by the support that Independence Bank has provided during 2016 for our agency. Recently, on May 21st, Independence Bank hosted a fundraiser for our agency that resulted in a donation of \$1,776.00. This is such a very important and timely donation for our shelter. We opened our family shelter in December, 2015 and that new service is the only one of its kind in Franklin County providing shelter to homeless families composed of established couples including a man and his children. Our family shelter depends on community support to operate. This generous donation will allow us to keep our lights and electricity on for up to three months and for this our agency and the families that we serve are so very grateful. We are so very thankful for this support. We look forward to continuing our partnership with Independence Bank and are extremely thankful that this bank is now located in Frankfort with a mission to make a positive difference in our community.”

Independence Bank is a locally owned and operated community bank with 22 locations in Calloway, Daviess, Franklin, Graves, Hancock, Henderson, Hopkins, Jefferson, McCracken, McLean, Warren and Webster counties with assets over \$1.9 billion.

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