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**PREVAIL BANK DONATES \$5,000 TO TAYLOR COUNTY HOMELESS SHELTER**

(Medford) Taylor County Supportive Housing Inc., a homeless shelter in Medford, WI, received from Prevail Bank's Charitable Contributions Program \$5,000. These funds will support the facility, services, and programming provided; helping homeless individuals and families become self-dependent and stable with permanent housing.

"We are proud to support Taylor County Supportive Housing and the individuals and families of Taylor County," said Kori Miller, Prevail Bank Branch Manager – Medford. "We're a community bank that is passionate about economic development, financial stability, and the health, welfare, and growth of individuals, families, and businesses."

"We provide shelter, food, support, and solutions that address homelessness and the lack of housing in Taylor County," said Jessica Mudgett, Board President for Taylor County Supportive Housing. "It is our goal to transition those who fell on hard-times to a stable, self-sustaining, and independent lifestyle. Prevail Bank's \$5,000 donation will assist numerous individuals and families."

The shelter, appropriately named Taylor House, opened in April; it has never been empty. The home can sleep up to 17 people with space to add more beds. Clients can stay for up to 90 days.

The Charitable Contributions program of Prevail Bank is available for local non-profits that help local people in need, especially those with low-to-moderate incomes; stimulate communities financially; and/or enhances the standard of living of those less fortunate. If an organization is interested in applying for funds for a major initiative, go to: [Prevail.bank/resources/community](http://Prevail.bank/resources/community).

Seventeen (17) other nonprofits were awarded donations this fall by Prevail Bank's Charitable Contributions Committee. Those organizations included The Children's Museum of Eau Claire, the Boys & Girls Clubs of the Greater Chippewa Valley, HAVEN, Inc. (Merrill), Central Wisconsin's Children's Museum (Stevens Point), Taylor County Supportive Housing, Inc. (Medford), Friends of the Old School, Inc. (Owen), Stevens Point Fire Fighters Charitable Foundation, Santa's Elves Foundation (FiField), Keep Area Teens Safe (KATS) (Wausau), the City of Medford in support of a downtown revitalization project, United Way of the Greater Chippewa Valley, Marshfield Area United Way, United Way of South Wood & Adams Counties, Sandbox Child Care & Preschool (Medford), Medford Area for Tomorrow, Inc. (MATI) in support of a new park stage, The Personal Development Center, Inc. (PDC) (Marshfield), Wood County Health Department (Wisconsin Rapids) in support of its Bike Share Program, and The Farming for the Future Foundation (Stevens Point).



**PHOTO CAPTION:** Prevail Bank presented Taylor County Supportive Housing, Inc., a homeless shelter located in Medford WI, a \$5,000 check to support and assist their transitional programming, helping homeless individuals and families find permanent housing while becoming self-dependent. The shelter, appropriately named Taylor House, has never been empty since it opened in April. Pictured (L to R) are: Jessica Mudgett, Board President for Taylor County Supportive Housing; Coll Fox, Taylor House Director; Dave Kuhlman, Prevail Bank’s VP, Commercial Lending Officer; Kori Miller, Prevail Bank Branch Manager; and Sarah Gasser, Prevail Bank Universal Banker.

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