

Neffs National Bank Present \$100,000 To Six Local Educational Foundations

By Kylie Adams-Weiss

Neffs, Pa- The Neffs National Bank, is proud to present \$100,000 in donations to six local educational foundations. These donations will help fund essential educational programs to benefit the youth of our local community. The selected foundations include Lehigh Carbon Community College Foundation, Inc., Northern Lehigh School District Education Foundation, Northwestern Lehigh Educational Foundation, Inc., Parkland School District Education Foundation, Wildlands Conservancy, Inc., and Wildlife Information Center, Inc.

Donations were made through The Neffs National Bank's participation in the state's Educational Improvement Tax Credit (EITC) Program. This program authorizes tax credits □

Since the bank began their participation in the EITC program, they have contributed over \$1,000,000 to various educational foundations. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank noted "these organizations are continuing to face uncertain times with increased budget constraints and the need to reengineer their education programs. I would encourage local businesses to support these organizations either directly or through participation in the EITC program. This year is also special as we are celebrating our 100th anniversary and are able to continue our participation with a \$100,000 donation".

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1. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank and David Matulevich, Vice President Administration/Chief Financial Officer The Neffs National Bank present a check for \$25,000 to Elizabeth Dugan, Vice President of Development and Communications Wildlands Conservancy.

2. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank and David Matulevich, Vice President Administration/Chief Financial Officer The Neffs National Bank present a check for \$25,000 to Lori Geronikos, President of Northern Lehigh Education Foundation.

3. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank presents a check for \$5,000 to the Northwestern Lehigh Educational Foundation. From Right to Left, Amy Kinnon, Development Director, Valerie Betz-Kile, President, and Erin Vermeulen Vice President, representing the foundation.

4. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank and David Matulevich, Vice President Administration/Chief Financial Officer The Neffs National Bank present a check for \$15,000 to Lauren Foltz, Office Administrator, Lehigh Gap Nature Center, Wildlife Information Center, Inc.

5. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank and David Matulevich, Vice President Administration/Chief Financial Officer The Neffs National Bank present a check for \$5,000 to Silvia Vargas, Executive Director of the LCCC Foundation and Rachel Strucko, SHINE (Schools and Homes in Education) Director.

6. Kevin Schmidt, President/CEO The Neffs National Bank, Robert Heintzelman President/CEO Neffs Bancorp, Inc. and Chairman of the Board of The Neffs National Bank, and David Matulevich, Vice President Administration/Chief Financial Officer The Neffs National Bank present a check for \$25,000 to the Parkland Education Foundation. Representing the Fo□



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