

News Release

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Flint Hills Resources donates \$20,000 in gas station gift cards to Second Harvest Heartland

Donation will cover cost of delivering 10,000 emergency food boxes to low-income Minnesotans during a critical time

Rosemount, Minn. – Flint Hills Resources today announced the donation of more than \$20,000 in gas station gift cards to Second Harvest Heartland, Minnesota's largest food bank. Second Harvest has a goal of preparing and distributing 10,000 emergency food boxes to Minnesotans experiencing hunger – and these gift cards will cover the transportation costs of delivering the boxes across the state. <u>Click here</u> to download photos of the gas station gift cards.

"While COVID-19 affects our community, helping our neighbors experiencing hunger is more necessary than ever. Missing work and an uncertain economy mean families are missing meals," said Allison O'Toole, chief executive officer of Second Harvest Heartland. "This \$20,000 fuel donation will help us deliver these emergency meals across the entire state."

"It's more important than ever for us to come together as a community to help people in need," said Heather Rein, director of community affairs at Flint Hills Resources Pine Bend refinery in Rosemount. "Second Harvest is providing Minnesota families with critical meals at such a critical time. A lot of Minnesotans need help right now.

<u>Click here</u> to learn more about Second Harvest's emergency food box initiative.

About Second Harvest Heartland

About Flint Hills Resources

Flint Hills Resources produces and delivers transportation fuels used throughout the Midwest, including most of Minnesota's gasoline, diesel fuel, jet fuel, as well as other products people rely on such as propane and asphalt. The company's Pine Bend refinery located just south of the Twin Cities in Rosemount, MN, has a refining capacity of approximately 370,000barrels per day and is among the cleanest, most efficient and safest oil refineries in the country. Flint Hills Resources directly and indirectly supports more than 4,000 Minnesota jobs and has invested

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nearly \$1.7 billion in improvements to its Minnesota facilities since 2010. More information about the company is available at pinebendrefinery.com.

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