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Dairyland Power Donates \$10,000 to Town of Flambeau

LA CROSSE, WI— Dairyland Power Cooperative has donated a total of \$10,000 to the Town of Flambeau (Wis.) in support of road improvements.

Dairyland Power contributed \$5,000, which was then matched in full by CoBank, a national cooperative bank, through CoBank's *Sharing Success* program. The donation is helping fund the Town of Flambeau's repaving of Community Park Road, which leads to the entrance of Rusk County's Community Park.

Community Park is located on the Dairyland Reservoir (Lake Flambeau) near Ladysmith, Wis., and is the site of one of the Reservoir's boat landings. Previously, the entrance road to the park was comprised of crushed rock and was in a condition that deterred some boaters from using the landing. The donation supports blacktopping Community Park Road, which should increase usage of the park and landings.

"Dairyland is guided by our cooperative principles, which includes *Concern for Community*," said Brad Foss, Dairyland Senior Environmental Biologist. "We are committed to supporting the communities we serve, and hope the newly paved road leads to better and safer recreational opportunities for park visitors."

With headquarters in La Crosse, Wis., Dairyland provides wholesale electricity to 25 member distribution cooperatives and 17 municipal utilities. A Touchstone Energy Cooperative, Dairyland's service area encompasses 62 counties in four states (Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Illinois). Dairyland's generation resources include the Flambeau Hydro Station (Ladysmith, Wis.), coal, natural gas, wind, hydro, solar and landfill gas. For more information, please visit www.dairylandpower.com.

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