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Housing Authority Donates \$15,000 to Central Pennsylvania Food Bank
Working together to house and feed our community in the times of greatest need

Steelton, PA. May 6. The Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin today announced a \$15,000 cash donation to the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank in support of food security for its residents during the COVID-19 pandemic. This funding ensures that residents in Housing Authority properties continue to receive boxed food deliveries and expands the regular service to include emergency resources.

"During this unprecedented crisis, the Housing Authority is committed to doing everything possible to support our tenants," said Leah Eppinger, AICP, Executive Director of the Housing Authority. "We are proud to support the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank as we work together on the front lines to make sure the most vulnerable populations in our communities have what they need in these uncertain conditions."

This donation helps the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank operate at full capacity with increased precautionary procedures in place to maintain maximum safety. To maintain food delivery operations and conduct crisis response, there is a greater need for additional support from the community. The boxes that Housing Authority residents receive include healthy shelf-stable products, milk, produce and meat that are designed to feed a family of three for a half a week.

The partnership between the Housing Authority and the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank continues to evolve in order to provide critical services to those who need it most.

The Housing Authority of the County of the Dauphin was established in 1959 to serve Dauphin County residents. It operates 725 units of public housing and provides over 1,100 Housing Choice Vouchers. The mission of the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin is to provide eligible families with safe, decent, and affordable housing opportunities as they strive to achieve self-sufficiency and improve the quality of their lives. For more information of the Housing Authority of the County of Dauphin, please visit its website at www.dauphinhousing.org.