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New Endowment Established In Honor Of Well Known Community Leader

(Washington) – Family, friends and business associates recently paid tribute to Richard L. White, upon his retirement from Washington Federal, by establishing an endowment fund at the Washington County Community Foundation (WCCF).

The Richard L. and Margaret B. White Fund was created in honor of the couple who have, for many years, supported groups and organizations throughout Washington County, either by volunteering or through financial contributions. The endowment, which totals over \$25,000, was created as a surprise retirement gift and was presented to him and his wife at a dinner in July. The fund will provide grants to various charitable groups and organizations throughout the area.

Richard retired from Washington Federal in June, after more than forty years with the institution. During that time, he and his wife were very involved with the community. Richard was a Founding Trustee of the WCCF, and served as a trustee for the Washington Federal Charitable Foundation and the Washington Hospital Foundation. He was also a member of the Economic Development Councils for both the city and county of Washington. Richard is also a member of the Hickory Lions Club, the Sons of the American Revolution and the NAACP. His wife Margaret is a volunteer at Washington Hospital and has been involved with numerous youth groups and the PTA. The White's live in Hickory and have two adult children and three grandchildren.

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