

News Release

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Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board Supports Couleecap's Monroe County Food Pantry

(Sparta, WI) It is with great pleasure we announce that Couleecap has been gifted 200 pounds of butter from the Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board. "This gift provided a pound of butter for each individual or family who utilized our pantry in the last month," said Stephanie Rahr, Couleecap's Food Projects Coordinator. "This generous donation was greatly appreciated by those we serve," said Rahr.

The Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board has been a strong supporter of Couleecap's food pantry and has provided this generous donation for the last several years. The Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board donated 1,550 pounds of butter to food pantries throughout Monroe County. This is just one of many projects the Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board does each year. "Butter is something that everyone can use and something that the food pantries do not often have available for people," said Mary Cook, Monroe County Dairy Promotion Board member.

Couleecap's Monroe County food pantry is located at the Couleecap office at 217 N. Black River Street in Sparta. The food pantry serves 466 individuals each month. In 2017, Couleecap's food pantry distributed 69,578 pounds of food to the residents of Monroe County. The food pantry is open Monday and Thursday from 10:00 – 2:00 PM for those in need of food assistance. Donations of food are greatly appreciated. To arrange a food donation please contact Stephanie Rahr at Stephanie.Rahr@couleecap.org or by phone at 269-3012.

Couleecap, Inc. is a private non-profit 501c3 charitable organization. Couleecap helps people in need with housing, food, transportation, and more. Created in 1966, we are a community action program that fights poverty and promotes self-sufficiency in Crawford, La Crosse, Monroe, and Vernon counties.

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