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Homefield Energy Donates \$20,000 to the Community Foundation of Central Illinois for Disaster Recovery Fund

April 23, 2020 – Peoria, IL: The Community Foundation of Central Illinois (CFCI) is pleased to announce a donation in the amount of \$20,000 from Homefield Energy to the Central Illinois Disaster Recovery Fund. Homefield Energy is a certified retail electric supplier serving downstate Illinois and committed to providing smart energy solutions. They work directly with residential and commercial customers to ensure that they get the best products and service.

“During this time, Homefield Energy is not only committed to providing affordable reliable power for our residential, small and large business customers in downstate Illinois, but we’re also dedicated to helping through efforts such as the Community Foundation of Central Illinois COVID-19 relief fund,” said Brad Watson, director of Homefield Energy community affairs. “We’re proud to serve the Peoria area and central Illinois and do our part to support communities and businesses to get them through this great challenge so they can thrive once again.”

The Central Illinois Disaster Recovery Fund will provide flexible financial support to nonprofit partners within the CFCI service area (a 50-mile radius of the city of Peoria, IL excluding Knox and McLean Counties), who are responding to increasing needs as a result of COVID-19. For the first cycle, applications are due Wednesday, April 29, 2020. Organizations may apply for up to \$5,000. The application can be found on our website: communityfoundationci.org.

Mark Roberts, President and CEO of CFCI, states: “CFCI appreciates the support of Homefield Energy as we work with our nonprofit partners who continue to address essential needs in the community.”

About the Community Foundation of Central Illinois

Established in 1985, the Community Foundation of Central Illinois is a philanthropic resource committed to connecting people who care with causes that matter. For more information please call 309-674-8730 or visit communityfoundationci.org.

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