

MEDIA ALERT

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Stearns Bank gives \$1250 in support of PTC's *Bridging the Dream* scholarship campaign

WHAT: Stearns Bank of Pine City gave \$1250 to Pine Technical College's annual *Bridging the Dream* scholarship campaign. The gift will support two scholarships for two full-time PTC students starting this fall.

WHEN: Wed. Aug. 31, 2011

WHO: Oscar Sutherland, Market President, of Stearns Bank of Pine City; PTC President Robert Musgrove, Ph.D.

WHERE: Pine Technical College, 900 Fourth St. SE, Pine City, Minn.

HOW: Sutherland presented Musgrove with a check in the amount of \$1250.

WHY: The donation was given in support of the college's annual scholarship campaign affectionately titled, "Bridging the Dream." The campaign draws nearly \$30,000 each year and is awarded to PTC students.

PHOTO: Attached/enclosed.

CAPTION: Oscar Sutherland, Market President at Stearns Bank in Pine City, presents Pine Technical College President Robert Musgrove, Ph.D., with a check for \$1,250 to support PTC's annual *Bridging the Dream* campaign. The PTC Foundation initiated the annual *Bridging the Dream* campaign in 2000, and each year, the campaign raises and awards nearly \$30,000 to PTC students in the form of scholarships.

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