

## Park City Credit Union Helps Two Charities at Once



Merrill Food Pantry manager, Dennis McCarthy accepts donation from Park City CU President/CEO, Val Mindak

Merrill, WI (November 12, 2010) – The Merrill Community Food Pantry received a donation of 10 turkeys from Park City Credit Union on Friday, and it all started with the Merrill Noon Lions Club.

In September, Lions member Ron Lass approached Park City Credit Union about participating in the club’s annual Turkey Shoot fundraiser with proceeds used for local Lions projects. Every dollar donated earned a slice on a target, offering the donor a chance to win a turkey. The question immediately came up, “What will the credit union do with the turkeys?”

“That was an easy one to answer,” said Park City C.U. President, Val Mindak. “We’re so blessed here, but if we can give those turkeys to people who truly need them, it just exemplifies the ‘People Helping People’ philosophy of credit unions.”

Park City Credit Union’s donation to the Lions Club earned a total of 10 turkeys, all of which were delivered to the Merrill Community Food Pantry on November 12<sup>th</sup>. “This is great,” said pantry manager, Dennis McCarthy. President Mindak added, “It’s a great feeling to be able to help the Food Pantry, and the Lions Club, and knowing how many other people each of those organizations will be able to help in return.”

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