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Land O'Lakes Donates 40,000 Pounds of Macaroni & Cheese to St. Louis Area Foodbank

(Bridgeton, MO) July 23, 2019, Land O'Lakes, Inc. donated nearly 40,000 pounds of LAND O LAKES® Macaroni & Cheese to St. Louis Area Foodbank through the Land O'Lakes First Run Program.

The First Run Program has donated more than 5 million pounds of product since it was established in 2010. The program is committed to donating truckloads of fresh product year-round, made specifically for food banks to help alleviate hunger across the United States.

"As a national, farmer-owned cooperative, Land O'Lakes is committed to helping the growing number of people who struggle to put food on their table," said Sheilah Stewart, SVP & General Counsel, Land O'Lakes, Inc. "The First Run program provides a unique opportunity for Land O'Lakes to offer nutritious products to families in need."

"Through partnerships and programs like the Land O'Lakes First Run Program, we're able to create a stronger, healthier bi-state region," said St. Louis Area Foodbank President and CEO, Meredith Knopp. "So many people love macaroni and cheese and this donation will help provide tens of thousands of meals for our neighbors in need."

For more information on Land O'Lakes' commitment to the community, visit at www.landolakesinc.com/responsibility.

About Land O'Lakes, Inc.

Land O'Lakes, Inc., one of America's premier agribusiness and food companies, is a member-owned cooperative with industry-leading operations that span the spectrum from agricultural production to consumer foods. With 2018 annual sales of \$15 billion, Land O'Lakes is one of the nation's largest cooperatives, ranking 216 on the Fortune 500. Building on a legacy of more than 97 years of operation, Land O'Lakes today operates some of the most respected brands in agribusiness and food production including LAND O LAKES® Dairy Foods, Purina Animal Nutrition, WinField United and Land O'Lakes SUSTAIN. The company does business in all 50 states and more than 60 countries. Land O'Lakes, Inc. corporate headquarters are located in Arden Hills, Minn.

About the St. Louis Area Foodbank

The St. Louis Area Foodbank began its service to the community in 1975. Since that time, the organization has grown to become the bi-state region's largest nonprofit 501c3 food distribution center dedicated to feeding individuals in need. Through a robust network of community partners and programs throughout 26 counties in Missouri and Illinois, the Foodbank helps provide 37 million meals annually. More than 392,000 people in the bi-state region rely on the Foodbank for assistance each year. For more information on the organization and the issue of hunger, please visit www.STLFoodbank.org.