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CENTIMARK CHALLENGES GREATER WASHINGTON COUNTY FOOD BANK

\$50,000 Grant Opportunity

Washington, PA October 21, 2014– CentiMark Corporation has challenged the residents and businesses in Washington County with a Matching Grant up to \$50,000 to the Greater Washington County Food Bank for donations received by Friday, November 21, 2014.

“At CentiMark, we are committed to helping our neighbors. The Greater Washington County Food Bank, hundreds of volunteers and local food pantries are making a huge difference in providing for those who are in need of food,” says Edward B. Dunlap, Chairman & CEO, CentiMark. “With the upcoming Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, the Dunlap Family and CentiMark want to encourage everyone to increase their efforts to help the food bank assist those in need.”

The Greater Washington County Food Bank expects to serve over 5,200 families each month during the upcoming holiday season and could certainly use the additional funds. Per Connie Burd, Executive Director of the Food Bank, “With the state of the economy, times have been tough lately for the Food Bank. We are serving more and more people each day, and of those we serve on a regular basis, 30% are children and 20% are seniors. Receiving a challenge grant like this one from CentiMark is a Godsend, and I’m confident that the good people of our community will step up and take the challenge. With our purchasing power, that much money can go a long way here.”

“CentiMark has a culture of giving and support of food banks throughout the country,” states Timothy M. Dunlap, President & COO, CentiMark. “We take great pride in donating the matching funds to challenge others in our community to support the Greater Washington County Food Bank.” CentiMark is the largest commercial and industrial roofing and flooring contractor in North America with over 3,500 associates. The company headquarters are located at Southpointe in Canonsburg, PA. CentiMark’s 80 offices in the United States and Canada support the local food banks in their respective communities with donations and food drives.

The Greater Washington County Food Bank has served food insecure residents of Washington County for over 32 years. The Food Bank is located in Eighty Four, PA and distributes food through a network of 39 pantries located throughout Washington County. More information can be found on their web site at www.gwcfb.org

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