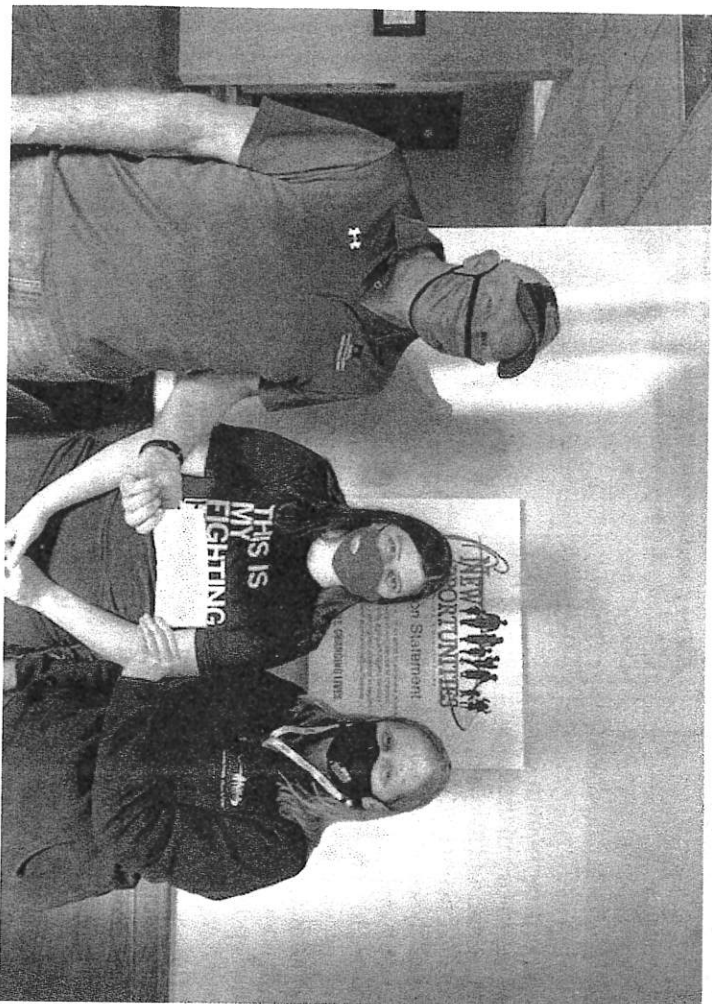


Donations made to 4 food pantries



Kristina Grossman, Development program assistant (middle), and Christy Anthofer, development director (right) accept a donation check on behalf of New Opportunities from Carroll County Farm Bureau President Brian Hoffman.

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The COVID-19 pandemic has created significant challenges for many Iowans, including the most basic need of food security.

To assist with the spike in

demand at local food banks, Carroll County Farm Bureau has donated \$200 to each of the four food pantries in the county: Community of Concern, Coon Rapids-Bayard, and New Opportunities in Carroll and

Manning to help feed the need for Iowans who are impacted by this unprecedented time.

"As farmers, we take pride in providing safe, healthy food, and now more than ever, we know our local



Brady Eischeid (right), Carroll County Farm Bureau board member, presents Roxie Reinart, director at Community of Concern, with a donation check.

communities are in need," Carroll County Farm Bureau President Brian Hoffman said. "Our Farm Bureau board is more than people who raise livestock and grow crops — we're community members first, and

we need to take care of each other, especially during the holiday season."

For those in the community wishing to add to these efforts, call the Community of Concern at 712-792-5150, the Coon Rapids-Bayard

Food Pantry at 712-999-5262 or New Opportunities (Carroll and Manning) at 712-792-9266, extension 720, to donate, or go online at <https://www.foodbankiowa.org/> to find out more about how you can help.

