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Altamont, Illinois: As a community bank, Peoples Bank & Trust recognizes the value of volunteerism in our communities. To recognize, commend and promote the volunteerism, Peoples Bank & Trust has established a program to recognize outstanding community members for their volunteer efforts of improvement to our community.

Peoples Bank & Trust has selected Susan Braasch as our Volunteer of the Quarter for the 3rd quarter of 2024.

Susan is a Director at the not-for-profit Dr. Charles M. Wright House Museum. The Museum is dedicated to bringing life to the Wright family home by preserving, interpreting and providing educational opportunity. The mansion, located in Altamont, is on the National Registry of Historical Places. Susan serves as the Committee Chair for the annual Wine, Beer and Music festival held on the grounds each fall. The Wright Mansion is located at 3 W. Jackson and offers tours from May through September, including the day of the Wine, Beer and Music event.

Susan is also active in her church at St. Paul ELCA doing several different activities and jobs. She also serves as President of the Xi Lambda Nu Sorority that donates the money they raise to the food pantries and the Ministerial Alliance that helps several community families.

Susan and her husband of 46 years, Gary, currently live in rural Altamont.

Peoples Bank & Trust will be honoring Susan with a monetary donation to the Dr. Charles M. Wright House Museum and Susan's name will also be placed on a plaque to be displayed at the bank.

Peoples Bank & Trust is an independent Community Bank with thirteen offices located in Pana, Taylorville, Altamont, Arcola, Arthur, Tower Hill, Charleston, Springfield, Morrisonville, Palmyra, Tuscola, Waverly and White Hall. Peoples is a full service bank offering outstanding customer service to consumers, small business, and farmers in Central Illinois. People First Bancshares, Inc., with corporate offices in Pana, Illinois, is the holding company for Peoples Bank & Trust.