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THOMPSON EDUCATION FOUNDATION AND FAMILY MORTGAGE COMPANY WORKING TOGETHER TO HELP SCHOOLS

LOVELAND, CO Thompson Education Foundation (TEF) and Family Mortgage Company announce a new opportunity to support classrooms and schools in Thompson School District.

TEF Executive Director Kim Akeley-Charron says “The Family Mortgage Curriculum Enhancement Fund provides financial support to schools and classrooms in Thompson School District through this unique relationship. Thompson Education Foundation is thrilled to work with a community partner that supports teacher efforts to provide rich and meaningful student experiences.”

Family Mortgage Company clients who have a child enrolled in a K – 12 class in Thompson School District can designate a donation to the curriculum enhancement fund, held by Thompson Education Foundation, when they complete a new home or home refinance loan. The amount of the gift will equal one quarter of one percent of the client’s loan amount. For example, a \$200,000 loan will provide a \$500 donation to the fund. Clients can choose to direct the donation to a specific Thompson School District school or to grow the curriculum enhancement fund for future opportunities.

When a donation is designated to a specific school, Thompson Education Foundation will notify the school of the gift. The principal and their staff will make the decision as to how the funds will be spent, based on the criteria set forth by the fund. The Family Mortgage Curriculum Enhancement Fund defines curriculum enhancement as:

- Field Trips;
- Guest Speakers/Artist Residencies/Performances;
- Classroom purchases related to curriculum that decrease teacher out-of-pocket expenses.

Family Mortgage Company owner John Giroux says “Family Mortgage was founded on certain principles one of which is to give back to our client’s communities on each transaction. The Family Mortgage Curriculum Enhancement Fund will allow our client’s children and the Thompson School District to benefit directly as a result of our client’s relationship with Family

Mortgage. I can think of no better way to give back to the communities that support our business than to invest in the education of the children of our clients. It is our hope that other community business leaders will partner with TEF in a similar or other creative manner to increase the educational opportunities for our children.”

For more information, contact Executive Director Kim Akeley-Charron at (970) 613-5074.

Thompson Education Foundation cultivates educational opportunities for the students and staff in Thompson School District.

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