

News Release Stoughton Utilities

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Stoughton Utilities RoundUp Program Donates \$1,100 to American Legion Post 59

American Legion Post Commander Sonny Swangstu recently accepted a check for \$1,100 from Brian Hoops of Stoughton Utilities. This donation is part of Stoughton Utilities' RoundUP program, a voluntary program that 'rounds up' customers' utility bills to the next whole dollar. All proceeds are distributed to and benefit local community organizations.

American Legion Post 59 will use these funds towards the many children and youth programs the American Legion offers. These programs include scholarships, Legion Baseball, Badger Boys/Girls State, and County Government Days.

Stoughton Utilities began the RoundUP program in 2006 as a way to further assist local non-profit organizations in our community. In 2011 the program collected and awarded \$3,300 in funds to four local organizations. Over five percent of Stoughton Utilities customers have voluntarily chosen to participate in the program and are continuing the "neighbor helping neighbor" concept that founded Stoughton Utilities over a century ago.

Customers wishing to participate in the RoundUP program, or non-profit organizations requesting to be considered for future donations, may sign up online at <u>roundup.stoughtonutilities.com</u> or by calling Stoughton Utilities customer service at (608) 873-3379.



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Founded in 1886, Stoughton Utilities serves electric customers in Stoughton and the surrounding area; and wastewater and water customers in Stoughton.