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Over \$14,900 gifted between nine local nonprofits

For many the holidays will be a little brighter. Between public donations totaling \$8,228.55 and Prevail Bank matching up to \$1,000 at each branch location, a grand total of \$14,926.10 was gifted between nine organizations as part of Prevail Bank's Holiday Matching Funds campaign this December.

Locally in Phillips, Catkins Animal Rescue received \$2,106; Prevail Bank contributed \$1,000 of that total. Catkins rescues and finds new homes for animals in distress. They ensure that these animals receive any medical attention and emotional care they require before finding them a permanent, caring home. Pictured is Catkin's Animal Rescue Manager, Tanya Belanger (left) accepting the 'big check' from Prevail Bank Branch Manager, Sarah Retallick.

The nine nonprofits that received critical funding, raising hope and happiness of their clients were: Sauk County Children's Giving Tree \$1,390, Marshfield Area Pet Shelter \$1,060, Hope Hospice (Medford) \$1,342, Catkins Animal Rescue (Phillips) \$2,106, The Uplift Foundation (Stevens Point) \$700, Granite House (Wausau) \$2,005, the Acacia Foundation (in support of the Wood County K9 unit) \$903.10, Owen-Withee Food Pantry \$3,400 (with a special acknowledgement going to the Owen-Withee Lions Club that contributed \$1,000 to the pantry's



total), and the Eau Claire County Children's Giving Tree that received gifts valued at approximately \$2,020.

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