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QUEENSTOWN BANK PAIRS WITH SOLES4SOULS FOR A SHOE DRIVE

QUEENSTOWN - Queenstown Bank of Maryland kicked off the work week with an official count of shoes collected for a recent Soles4Souls shoe drive through the Maryland Bankers Association Council of Professional Women in Banking and Finance Philanthropy Initiative. All 8 of the banks' locations including their Operations Center participated by collecting used shoes from customers, non-customers and bank employees. Collectively, Queenstown Bank proudly donated 2,189 pairs of shoes to Soles4Souls. In addition to the distribution of shoes in over 125 countries, the Maryland Bankers Association is donating 500 pairs of new children's shoes to a Maryland non-profit organization.

The final shoe count for all 34 participating Maryland banks was a whopping 63,270 pairs of shoes! Soles4Souls has confirmed that this Used Shoe Drive was the largest participation of any Association drive in Soles4Souls history! Congratulations to each and every one of you on your amazing efforts and making history!

Soles4Souls is a Nashville-based charity that collects shoes from the warehouses of footwear companies and the closets of people like you. The charity distributes these shoes to people in need, regardless of race, religion, class, or any other criteria. Since 2005, Soles4Souls has given away nearly 12 million pairs of new and gently worn shoes (currently donating one pair every 7 seconds.) The shoes have been distributed to people in over 125 countries, including Kenya, Thailand, Nepal and the United States. Soles4Souls has been featured in Runner's World, Ladies' Home Journal, National Geographic's Green Guide, and The New York Times. It has appeared on CBS, ABC, NBC, FOX, BBC, CNN and thousands of regional news outlets across North America.

Queenstown Bank has eight mid-shore offices, including the main office in Queenstown and branches in Chester, Benton's Crossing, Grasonville, Centreville, Easton, Ridgely and Church Hill.

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