

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

Peoples Bank & Trust would like to recognize Todd Pinkerton - Riegel as our "Volunteer of the Quarter" for his work with the Greene County community in several different aspects. Todd is a part of the local Lions Club, North Greene Education Foundation, White Hall Stoneware Club, Greene County Days, Belltown Cemetery, and he sits on the White Hall city council, as an alderman. Todd has been part of this community since he was a young boy and has many fond memories of the town and the changes that have occurred over time.

"The heart of all small communities is development, growth, and hometown pride. This is what keeps us connected and sets us apart from larger cities. It gives my heart great joy that PBT shares this vision to support continuous growth and gives back to the people it serves." – Todd Pinkerton – Riegel

The North Greene Education Foundation gives back to its community by offering a CNA training program for North Greene High School Juniors and Seniors. In addition, this Foundation helps support the Welding program at the North Greene High School, and supplements teachers by providing a teacher grant opportunity for supplies not covered by their approved budget. In 2017, a small group of caring individuals saw a need and brought the dream of this foundation to fruition. This organization runs solely by grants and donations, so people like you, matter. To date, the NG Education Foundation has provided 100% tuition reimbursement for fifty local youth to complete the certified nursing assistant program and many are employed by local long term facilities within/around our community. This foundation, with partnerships, has renovated the welding lab at the NG high school, making it cutting edge. If you are looking for a way to make a difference, this foundation is making changes in the lives of our youth and we welcome your donations. Please reach out to President, Cheri Madson @ ngedf2017@gmail.com.

In honor of Todd's services, Peoples Bank & Trust is making a \$250 donation to North Greene Educational Foundation, in his name. Todd's name will be added to a plaque on display at the bank, recognizing past volunteers.

Peoples Bank & Trust is an Independent Community Bank with thirteen offices located in Pana, Taylorville, Altamont, Charleston, Tower Hill, Springfield, Morrisonville, Palmyra, Waverly, White Hall, Arcola, Arthur, and Tuscola. 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.