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Free Foundation Forum about Charitable Giving Strategies

Madelia, Minn. – The Madelia Community Hospital Foundation announces that they will be holding a *Foundation Forum* about strategies for charitable giving. The event will be on Tuesday, September 29th, at Salem Lutheran Church, 109 3rd St. S.E. in Madelia beginning at 5:30 p.m. We will be practicing social distancing throughout the event. Please wear masks.

Charitable Giving Strategies will be presented by Financial Advisor Eric Opsal, CFS, of Securian Advisors, MidAmerica, Inc. This *Foundation Forum* will introduce you to tools that will help you maximize your charitable support of organizations affecting you and the surrounding communities. It will focus on these five areas:

- Deciding how to give: lifetime gifts and testamentary bequests
- Tax treatment of charitable gifts: deductions, exclusions, and conditions
- Life insurance — an important asset for charities: benefits and considerations
- Trusts and advanced giving strategies: charitable remainder trusts, charitable lead trusts, pooled income fund, charitable gift annuity
- Strategies for increasing involvement: donor advised funds, private foundation, and supporting organizations

Please come and enjoy a light supper of soup and sandwich while you learn about these strategies. There is no charge to attend, but please call the Madelia Community Hospital Foundation's Executive Director, Bruce Taylor, to register. Taylor can be reached at 507.642.5224 or btaylor@mchospital.org

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Picture: Eric Opsal, CFS, Securian Financial

About Madelia Community Hospital & Clinic

Madelia Community Hospital & Clinics is an independent, nonprofit facility staffed by a team of medical professionals that are committed to providing health care of the highest standards to patients in the Madelia and Lake Crystal area. As a 25-bed acute care hospital, we offer all of the primary health services: Laboratory, Radiology, Mobile X-ray, CT, 3D Mammograms, Physical Therapy, Home Care, Emergency Room/Urgent Care, Retail Pharmacy, Ambulance Services and Surgical Care. Our medical clinics also provide care for patients in all the seasons of their life. Over the years, we have proactively responded to the changing demands within the health care industry, which has ensured our ability to deliver up-to-date medical services, purchase advanced medical equipment, and provide complete and compassionate care to all who enter our facility.