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Mission Community Bank Raises \$3,253 for American Heart Association

(San Luis Obispo, CA) A team of Mission Community Bank employees raised \$3,253 for the Heart Walk on October 3, benefitting the San Luis Obispo County American Heart Association. Ron Pigeon, team captain and Mission Community Bank's Executive Vice President, received a certificate for Top Fundraising Bank from Lisa Dosch, American Heart Association Business Development Director.

Local businesses sponsor employee teams and compete for the honor of raising the most money at the annual Heart Walk. Overall, this year's San Luis Obispo Heart Walk raised a record \$154,000 for the American Heart Association.

About Mission Community Bank

Mission Community Bank is a locally owned and operated community bank with offices in Arroyo Grande, San Luis Obispo, Paso Robles and Santa Maria. The bank has received several awards for its success in meeting community needs in small business lending and development banking services, has earned an Outstanding rating for its Community Reinvestment Act (CRA) activities, and is an Small Business Administration (SBA) Preferred Lender. For more information, visit www.MissionCommunityBank.com.

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