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**MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE RECEIVES \$70,000 FROM THE
SUNDERLAND FOUNDATION**

Money to be used for campus renovations.

Marshall, Mo. (November 08, 2005)—Dr. Bonnie Humphrey, Missouri Valley College president, has announced that Missouri Valley College has accepted a gift of \$70,000 from the Sunderland Foundation of Overland Park, KS.

Members of the MVC cabinet and board presented a proposal to Sunderland asking for funds to help renovate the student residence halls. The Sunderland board committed to the gift during an October 21 meeting.

“We are very grateful for the generosity of the gift from the Sunderland Foundation,” Humphrey said. “Their support for Missouri Valley helps us begin our residence hall renovation project.”

The gift was pledged over two years and will be issued in installments of \$35,000. With the first installment received in early November, Humphrey said that they will begin residence hall renovation projects, which include adding student lounges in some residence halls, replacing furniture, installing new technology, and more.

The Sunderland Foundation is a Kansas City-based, non-profit organization established in 1945 by Lester T. Sunderland. The Foundation provides grants for buildings, capital projects, higher education, youth services and museums, among other projects.

“The Sunderland Foundation has had a history of financial support for Missouri Valley College,” said Kent Sunderland, president of the Sunderland Foundation. “We are glad to continue that support and assist the college in providing better residence halls and student lounge areas.”

ABOUT MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE

Missouri Valley College is a liberal arts college that provides educational, social and cultural experiences in a decidedly Christian environment. Established in 1889, MVC offers 27 majors and 7 pre-professional programs, and 12 sports and 20 varsity teams. The liberal arts heritage focuses on scholarship, critical thinking and academic excellence to prepare students to become members of a responsible citizenry. For more information, call (660) 831-4172 or visit www.moval.edu.

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