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Assiniboia Hospital Receives Generous Donation for Latest Technology

Thanks to a generous donation of \$50,000 from the Estate of Mr. Robert (Bob) Greulich of Vantage District, the Assiniboia Union Hospital has been able to install a new radiology system that will make a difference for patients and care providers alike. This Computed Radiography system will allow Physicians to view higher quality x-ray images and will result in increased processing efficiency and shorter wait-times for viewing by the radiologist in Moose Jaw. As well as preparing AUH for additional future diagnostic imaging upgrades, this new technology enables diagnostic images to be stored digitally, dramatically reducing the physical space required to house x-rays and other images.

Mr. Greulich was a long-time resident of the Vantage area, having lived his entire life 10 miles east of Vantage on the family farm homesteaded by his father in 1900. The family had many connections to the Assiniboia Union Hospital as a result of his wife Gen's work as a Public Health Nurse and through the many bumps and bruises the family experienced over the years. Toward the end of Gen's life, she was cared for at AUH as well.

His generous bequest was intended to be used for equipment or technology that would directly impact patients in the community. The Five Hills Health Region is deeply appreciative of this significant gift and the impact it will have on the community Mr. Greulich cared so deeply about.

Although this gift was made to the Five Hills Health Region, it is important to recognize the important role of the South Country Health Foundation in raising awareness of the local needs in the health system. Their significant work results in gifts like this that have a direct impact on local patients. In all cases, whether a bequest comes to the region or to the South Country Health Foundation, the legacy gift stays in the community to benefit the local health facilities or programs.

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