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Flint Hills Resources Makes Gift to Inver Hills Community College Lab

Rosemount, MN – Flint Hills Resources, LP today announced plans to help Inver Hills Community College purchase lab equipment for its new Heritage Hall, which houses state-of-the-art laboratories for biology, chemistry, environmental science education, and health science. In recognition of the gift, the college will name one of its labs after the company.

The gift marks the fifth year in a row that Flint Hills Resources has contributed to a local Dakota County community project. Past gifts have funded parks and trails in Rosemount, Hastings, Inver Grove Heights, and Lebanon Hills Regional Park. The company focuses its giving on the environment, education and human services.

“This donation is especially important to us because we strongly support science education,” said Flint Hills Resources President Dave Robertson. “We are excited to assist the important work that Inver Hills Community College is doing in science and technology education and training for people in this community.”

Founded in 1970, Inver Hills is a comprehensive community college offering more than 20 degree options. The college serves more than 7,000 students a year.

“This is a wonderful opportunity for Inver Hills Community College to be connected to Flint Hills,” said Dr. Cheryl Frank, president, Inver Hills Community College. “They are one of our next door neighbors, and we are thrilled that they are willing to support one of our science labs. We appreciate partnering with businesses in our community – external resources are especially important in these challenging economic times.”

The gift was announced today at Flint Hills Resources’ fifth annual Community Partners Luncheon held at the Science Museum of Minnesota in St. Paul.

Flint Hills Resources, LP is a leading provider of transportation fuels used in Minnesota and Wisconsin. Flint Hills Resources’ Pine Bend refinery has a 290,000-barrel-per-day capacity and employs approximately 700 people full-time. Flint Hills Resources is headquartered in Wichita, Kansas and also has a refining complex in Corpus Christi, Texas, as well as associated capabilities such as refined products marketing and other crude oil supply activities. More information about the company is available at www.fhr.com.

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