



Making a Difference

The kick-off year of our LocalMotion program was a huge success. Our company-wide donation program helped support a variety of worthwhile events, organizations, programs and more. Including LocalMotion, Ag Partners has committed over \$50,000 in community assistance this past fiscal year.

Our first-year LocalMotion recipients include –

- Buena Vista Regional Medical Center
- City of George – Save the Pool
- Marathon First Responders
- Alta Music Boosters
- Pocahontas 4H Citizen Trip to Washington D.C.
- Fire Departments in Alta, Marathon and Royal
- Sutherland Park Board
- American Legion in Sutherland and Newell
- SYC – Special Youth Challenge
- City of Boyden – Parks & Rec Dept.
- OCCS – Monica Society
- Fairfield Pioneer 4H Club



Volunteers Robert Wassom, standing, & Frajne Johnson.

Help Us Make a Difference.

Ag Partners will donate 1% of net profits from agronomy sales to help communities thrive. Donations are available, and not limited to, individuals, civic and charitable organizations, businesses, schools and for community events/celebrations.



Contact your local Ag Partners' location for more information and a donation request form.

Volunteers ... Vital to our Rural Communities.

At Ag Partners, we're defined by the small-town values instilled in us. Our values are demonstrated through our involvement in the communities where we live and work. We offer our LocalMotion program to financially support such organizations as the Royal Fire Department.

As with many services in small communities, the Royal Fire Department is comprised of 22 volunteers serving as fire fighters and EMTs. These individuals, with full-time jobs and families, know the importance of providing quality emergency services to their neighbors and town. For example, fire department members do an annual assessment of our Royal facility. They check for potential hazards and ensure they are comfortable with the entire location. Volunteerism is crucial as many rural areas experience the consequences of budget constraints.

The current "firehouse" in Royal houses the trucks and ambulance. However, it's not equipped for much else. Volunteers needed a location to conduct trainings and meetings as EMS workers are required to attend

hours of training annually. One volunteer, Robert Wassom, knew another facility could accommodate this necessity and other space issues. A building became available on Main Street. With some renovation, it would work perfectly. Unfortunately, there wasn't anything in the budget to acquire it. Robert and others were hopeful the local businesses and community would recognize the need. That's just what happened.

After a few months of diligent fundraising efforts, the building was purchased. Ag Partners was proud to donate along with area businesses and individuals. Again, donating their time, volunteers are using their resourcefulness to do all the remodeling work. Once complete, they will have a classroom setting to conduct trainings that also benefits emergency workers from other communities. The new building also features a fitness area.

It's comforting to know our customers and friends in the Royal area can rely on valuable emergency services provided by the Royal Fire Department.



Ag Partners Employee Tom Edwards & fire fighters in front of new building.

