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National Craft and Home Decor Retailer Hobby Lobby Celebrates Grand Opening of its West St. Paul, Minn. Store

OKLAHOMA CITY – Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc., a privately held national retail chain of craft and home decor stores, opens in West St. Paul, Minnesota, with a ribbon cutting ceremony and official grand opening celebration on Monday, April 10, at 9 a.m. The West St. Paul store is Hobby Lobby's 15th location in Minnesota. Mandy Green is the store manager of the 61,000 square-foot retail facility located at South Robert Street and Lothenbach Avenue.

The store's grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony is open to the public. Local dignitaries, ambassadors from the Dakota County Regional Chamber of Commerce and other business leaders will attend the celebration.

"We feel blessed for the fantastic opportunity to be a part of the West St. Paul community," stated John Schumacher, Assistant Vice President of Advertising. "Our goal is for customers to experience the exceptional service, selection and value Hobby Lobby offers."

Hobby Lobby has over 700 stores across the nation. Each store offers more than 70,000 crafting and home decor products including floral, fabric, needle art, custom framing, baskets, home accents, wearable art, arts and crafts, jewelry making, scrapbooking and paper crafting supplies. Store hours are Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. All Hobby Lobby stores are closed on Sunday.

Hobby Lobby Stores, Inc., an Oklahoma City-based private corporation, began as Greco, a miniature picture frame company in 1970. When David Green moved his business from the family home to a 300 square-foot retail space in 1972, Hobby Lobby was born. It is the nation's largest privately owned arts and crafts retailer.

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