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(Atmos Energy Manager of Public Affairs John Manganilla (center) presents check to UWDC Board Chair Brandon McCleskey (left) and CEO Gary Henderson to support work to fight homelessness throughout Denton County.)

## Atmos Energy Donates \$25,000 to United Way of Denton County

*Funds earmarked to county-wide initiative to make homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring.*

**Denton, TX (November 26, 2019)** – As part of its dedication to supporting the communities they serve, Atmos Energy announced its gift of \$25,000 to United Way of Denton County to support county-wide efforts to make homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring.

John Manganilla, Manager of Public Affairs for Atmos Energy, made the announcement while presenting the donation at a recent United Way of Denton County Board of Directors meeting.

“Atmos Energy always looks for ways to give back in the communities we serve,” Manganilla stated. “I’ve heard a lot about the homelessness work United Way does, and Atmos Energy will be donating \$25,000 to United Way this year.”

The funds are earmarked to support the Denton County Homelessness Leadership Team, a county-wide consortium of appointees from the business, government, and nonprofit sectors

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under the direction of United Way of Denton County. The Team fosters an effective and coordinated system of homelessness prevention and intervention to make homelessness rare, brief, and nonrecurring in Denton County.

“John (Manganilla) is a new appointee from the Denton Chamber of Commerce to serve on the Denton County Homelessness Leadership Team,” said United Way of Denton County President & CEO Gary Henderson while accepting the check. “Atmos is supporting financially as well as through John’s appointment on the Leadership Team.”

To learn more about how Denton County works together for solutions to the challenge of homelessness in our community and to make a donation, visit [www.unitedwaydenton.org/homelessness](http://www.unitedwaydenton.org/homelessness).

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