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## NEWS RELEASE

**Trotwood, OH -** The City of Trotwood would like to thank and recognize Dell Computer and its Dell "Keep it" Program for donating 10 laptop computers and 2 printers to help with the city's long-term recovery from the Memorial Day Tornadoes. The laptops and printers will be available for use at the Trotwood Community and Cultural Center for victims of the tornado that do not have access to a computer.

Special thanks to Mr. James L. Martin, account executive with Dell who was very instrumental in coordinating this very special contribution.

"We thank Dell Computer and James Martin for thinking about our community, said Trotwood City Manager Quincy E. Pope Sr. "

"We are grateful for Dell Computer and our long time Trotwood citizen, Mr. James Martin. Their contribution will help with our long-term recovery and will also assist us with the 2020 Census count, said Trotwood Mayor Mary A. McDonald."

The 2020 census requires computer access for completion and we will use these donations to eliminate that obstacle for Trotwood residents. It is imperative that every Trotwood citizen (even those living in temporary housing) is counted as a Trotwood resident in the census. This determines our demographics, which are used for development/investment in the community for the next 10 years. It is important to note, every voice matters!

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