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**Sierra Grant Supports Three Rivers Historical Society Museum**

**Porterville, CA** — Bank of the Sierra is pleased to announce a Sierra Grant award in the amount of \$1,500 to Three Rivers historical Society Museum. This museum keeps the history of Three Rivers preserved and on display for more than 800 visitors a month. Funding will go toward necessary maintenance repairs that have occurred since the opening in 2000. Repairs are needed to help keep historical artifacts safe and the museum presentable to the many visitors traveling through Three Rivers area.

“We are happy to make a contribution to the Three Rivers Historical Society Museum. Organizations that preserve the history of our community are highly regarded at Bank of the Sierra,” stated James C. Holly, President and CEO of Bank of the Sierra.

**About The Sierra Grant Program**

The Sierra Grant Program is designed to improve the quality of life for the families, especially the children, who reflect the diversity within Bank of the Sierra branch communities. The Sierra Grant Program is focused on three areas: community services, park preservation, and education. Anyone involved in a non-profit program that is interested in a Sierra Grant can pick up an instructional brochure at any Bank of the Sierra branch, or visit the bank web site at [www.bankofthesierra.com](http://www.bankofthesierra.com).

**About Bank of the Sierra**

With over \$1.3 billion in assets and strong performance ratios, Bank of the Sierra is the largest independently owned community bank headquartered in Southern San Joaquin Valley’s Heartland. The bank serves 15 different communities with 23 branches, two Ag Centers and one SBA Center. For more information visit the web site at [www.bankofthesierra.com](http://www.bankofthesierra.com) or call (888) 454-BANK.

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