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Parker's Donates \$1,500 to Tattnall County Schools at Ribbon Cutting in Glennville, Ga.

PHOTO CAPTION #1: On February 1, Parker's President and CEO Greg Parker, center, presented Tattnall County Schools Superintendent Dr. Gina Williams, right of center, with a \$1,500 Fueling the Community check to support local schools.

PHOTO CAPTION #2: Tattnall County community leaders and Parker's team members recently joined Parker's President and CEO Greg Parker, center, to cut the ribbon at the company's 51st store, which is located in Glennville, Ga.

GLENNVILLE, Ga. (February 2, 2018) – Parker's, a nationally acclaimed convenience store company focused on exceptional food service, recently donated \$1,500 to Tattnall County Schools as part of the company's Fueling the Community charitable initiative, which donates a portion of all gas sold on the first Wednesday of each month to area schools.

During a special ribbon cutting event at the company's 51st store, located in the heart of Glennville at the intersection of Hwy. 144 and Hwy. 301, Parker's President and CEO Greg Parker presented a check to Dr. Gina Williams, Superintendent of Schools for Tattnall County. School board representatives, community leaders and patrons of the Parker's brand were also on hand to celebrate the store's official ribbon cutting and the first installment of the Parker's Fueling the Community initiative in Glennville.

"At Parker's, our commitment to education is the heart and soul of our Fueling the Community program," said Parker's President and CEO Greg Parker. "By making an investment in education, we're providing a catalyst for economic development, job creation and opportunities for youth in our communities."

Parker explained that this particular Fueling the Community donation is extra special because he grew up in Tattnall County.

“My family actually lived a few hundred yards away from where we’re standing today,” he explained. “This is a defining moment for me personally, but also for the Parker’s brand.”

The new Glennville store features an incredible range of freshly prepared foods and convenience store luxuries including:

- Full-service Parker’s Kitchen serving fresh, never-frozen, hormone-free and antibiotic-free Southern Fried Chicken Tenders;
- A breakfast bar with egg casserole, bacon, sausage, cheese grits and biscuits;
- Daily food specials;
- Fountain drinks, freshly brewed tea and lemonade with signature Parker’s Chewy Ice;
- Bean to Cup Guaranteed Fresh Coffee, where every cup is ground and brewed fresh;
- 28-degree beer;
- High-quality Parker’s gas and much more.

Nationally recognized for having the most beautiful, spotless restrooms in the industry, each Parker’s location is managed and staffed by experienced members of the Parker’s team, all of whom share a commitment to delivering high-quality customer service.

Parker’s has been ranked on Inc.’s elite list of the top 5,000 fastest-growing private companies in the U.S. for four consecutive years. Company President and CEO Greg Parker has been honored by *Convenience Store News* as the Tech Executive of the Year, by the Savannah Chamber of Commerce as the Entrepreneur of the Year and by the Frank Callen Boys and Girls Club as the Citizen of the Year.

Parker’s operates 51 convenience stores across Georgia and South Carolina and employs nearly 1,000 individuals throughout the region.

ABOUT PARKER’S:

Parker’s is strategically redefining America’s convenience store industry, offering customers high-quality products, freshly prepared food and superior customer service at 51 retail stores throughout southeast Georgia and South Carolina. Headquartered in Savannah, Ga., Parker’s has a commitment to exceeding customer expectations and has repeatedly been recognized as one of the nation’s leading convenience store companies. Food service is a specialty, featuring made-from-scratch Parker’s Kitchen favorites like hormone-free, antibiotic-free Southern Fried Chicken Tenders, bone-in chicken, mac ‘n’ cheese, a breakfast bar and daily specials. The company’s popular PumpPal loyalty program, which includes more than 140,000 members, has saved Parker’s customers more than \$9 million to date.

Parker’s also gives back to every community where stores are located through the Fueling the Community Program, which donates a portion of the profit of every gallon of

gas sold on the first Wednesday of the month to area schools. In addition, the company endows the Parker's Emergency and Trauma Center at Memorial Hospital in Savannah, donates gas cards to benefit cancer patients, spearheads an Anti-Litter Campaign in Savannah and serves as the presenting sponsor for Picnic in the Park, a free outdoor concert held in Savannah every October. For more information about Parker's, visit www.parkersav.com.

RECENT AWARDS AND ACCOLADES:

- Top 10 U.S. Gas Station Brands – Gas Buddy
- Best Convenience Store - *Savannah Morning News* Readers' Choice Awards
- Best Convenience Store - *Savannah Magazine* Best of Savannah Awards
- Best Convenience Store - *Statesboro Herald* "Best in the 'Boro" Awards
- Best Convenience Store - Bryan County Now "Best of Bryan" Awards
- Regional Economic Impact Award - Greater Bluffton Chamber of Commerce
- Best Convenience Store - *Island Packet*
- Most Fab Convenience Store - *Effingham Herald*
- Keep Liberty Beautiful Award - *Coastal Courier*
- Most Fabulous Gas Station – *Effingham Living*
- Wayne County's Favorite Convenience Store – *Jesup Press-Sentinel*

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