



August Volunteer of the Month



Photo (L to R): Susie Ryks, Helpline Center; Ethan Moxnes, MetaBank; Priscilla Jorve, August Volunteer of the Month; Jim Henning, Jen Nuncio, and Jamie Richards with Good Earth State Park.

The Helpline Center congratulates Priscilla Jorve on being named the August 2018 Volunteer of the Month, an area-wide award program sponsored by the Helpline Center and MetaBank.

Priscilla regularly volunteers with the SD Game, Fish, and Parks Department at the Good Earth State Park Blood Run's Visitor Center. She greets visitors as they enter the building and helps educate them about the park's many attributes, such as the park's history, the building's features, hiking trails and local information. Priscilla also takes extra time to walk the trails, learn the wildlife of the park, and attend park programs to strengthen her knowledge to help visitors.

Priscilla has been volunteering 2-3 times per week at the Visitor Center since it opened May 19, 2017. She has logged over 630 hours over the past 15 months. In the fall Priscilla began giving programs to visitors. She always does an outstanding job and everyone loves her.

Jen Nuncio from Good Earth State Park stated, "Priscilla is a shining example of customer service. Her thirst for learning is inspiring. Priscilla is always researching the park, or its wildlife. When she is working, every single person who walks into the building is personally greeted and welcomed. She is always chipper and sweet to everyone she meets. Good Earth State Park is a much better place with Priscilla here!"

The Helpline Center and MetaBank are pleased to present Pricilla with a framed certificate, a gift from MetaBank and a letter of appreciation from Mayor Paul TenHaken. We will honor her again at the Spirit of Volunteerism Awards Luncheon on May 9, 2019.