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MISSION BBQ donates \$32,566 to Navy SEAL Foundation

Check Presentation held at the Chesapeake, VA location

Chesapeake, VA (May 27, 2017) MISSION BBQ co-founders, Bill Kraus and Steve Newton announced the donation of \$32,566 to the Navy SEAL Foundation, the Virginia Beach-based national non-profit that serves the Naval Special Warfare community and its families. Phil Boyer, Director of Operations, presented the check to Robin King, Chief Executive Officer of the Foundation. This donation was made possible by the generous support of Our Customers through the purchase of Mission BBQ's American Heroes Cups during 2016. Available at 3 MISSION BBQ locations in the Hampton Roads area, \$2 from the purchase of an American Heroes Cup is donated to the Navy SEAL Foundation.

The partnership between MISSION BBQ and the Navy SEAL Foundation began in March 2016. "It's our honor and privilege to Serve and Support such a respected and giving organization like the Navy SEAL Foundation. Their volunteers, programs, and dedicated efforts have tirelessly supported America's Heroes," said Steve Newton, Co-Founder of MISSION BBQ.

"On behalf of the Navy SEAL Foundation and those we support, thank you to MISSION BBQ, its founders Bill and Steve, its employees and especially to the patrons in our community for this generous donation," said Robin King, CEO of the Foundation. "The MISSION BBQ family continually demonstrates a steadfast commitment to our military, first-responders, and their families. Thank you to all who went the extra mile and purchased a Heroes Cup knowing you would be helping our SEAL community by supporting the programs the Navy SEAL Foundation has in place for these warriors."

About MISSION BBQ:

MISSION BBQ opened its doors for business on September 11, 2011. We believe there is nothing more American than BBQ. And nobody more American than the brave men and women who have sworn to protect and serve Our Communities and Our Country. We do what we do for the love of our soldiers, firefighters, police officers, and first responders—all our loved ones in service. We set across this great land from Texas to Kansas City, the Carolinas to St. Louis...to discover the secrets of great BBQ. Every day we strive to serve you authentic BBQ made from the freshest, most delectable ingredients, and serve it to you in a patriotic dining room filled with tributes to those who've made Our Country great, given to us by the people who earned them. Stop by at lunchtime, and you might catch us during our daily salute to the Stars and Stripes.

For more information about MISSION BBQ: <http://mission-bbq.com/>

About the Navy SEAL Foundation:

The Navy SEAL Foundation is a 501c3 national non-profit charitable organization committed to America's most elite warriors, supporting U.S. Navy SEALs, their community and families by empowering and assisting them through challenges and

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triumphs. The Foundation provides over 30 tailored programs specifically designed to meet the unique needs of Naval Special Warfare (NSW) warriors, veterans, families, and families of the fallen. Since the 9/11 terrorist attacks, there has been an unprecedented demand for Special Operations Forces around the globe. SEALs spend up to 270 days away from home each year in the most unforgiving environments and train at an unrelenting pace in order to maintain their ability to execute our nation's toughest military missions. Their commitment to our country and the mission is only possible because of the significant personal sacrifices made by them and their families. We believe that they should not face these challenges alone.

To learn more about the Navy SEAL Foundation, please visit:

www.navySEALfoundation.org