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Caption: Amy Doan and Cathryn Ensley of the United Way of Putnam County, Pat Sellers of DePauw University, Toni Tomlinson of the Knoy Resource Center, Eric Wolfe of the Putnam County Community Foundation, and Carrie Milner of Cloverdale Community School Corporation accept a \$75,303 grant from Lt. Governor Becky Skillman.

### **Lt. Governor Awards \$75,000 to Community Foundation**

**Greencastle, IN – January 30, 2007** – The Putnam County Community Foundation was awarded a \$75,303 Workforce and Educational Development Grant from the Lt. Governor's Office of Community and Rural Affairs (OCRA) in support of the Knoy Resource Center. Local matching dollars needed to receive this grant came from the Community Foundation, United Way of Putnam County, and Vectren Energy Delivery. This grant will support expanded programming at the Knoy Resource Center for students and the community.

The Knoy Resource Center, located at Cloverdale High School, is open to the public and administers programs designed to increase educational attainment in the county, and specifically the Cloverdale area. The Center's programming is available year-round. Expanded programs include skills assessments, interest tests, resume-writing classes, interviewing skills classes, computer skills classes, stress management classes, engaging speakers, college field trips, financial aid workshops and much more. Most programming is free.

If you are interested in learning more about the Knoy Center and the programs being offered, call Toni Tomlinson at 765-795-4203 x5562. The Knoy Center is open in the early mornings, evenings and some Saturdays. The Knoy Center is a project of the Putnam County Community Foundation.

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