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NEW HARPS FOOD STORE FOR BROOKLAND RESIDENTS COMING SOON

BROOKLAND, AR – Harps Food Stores, Inc. announces their purchase of the land at 8107 Highway 49 North, with the intent to build a new Harps Food Store.

"We are so excited to be a part of this development", claims Gary Harpole, Managing Partner and Director of Development for Halsey Thrasher Harpole Real Estate Group. "Working with the landowner, Mayor Jones and Harps to put together this project was a wonderful experience. This is a big day for the city of Brookland!"

The new 32,000 square foot Harps store will offer residents of Brookland and the surrounding community, a large variety of fresh fruits and vegetables, along with Harps Black Angus beef, all natural pork, and poultry; delicious deli and signature bakery products as well as well-stocked grocery, health and beauty care, dairy and frozen departments. Due to nationwide shortages in construction material there is no set grand opening date at this time.

"The city of Brookland and its citizens are excited to have a new grocery store located in our city", states Kenneth Jones, Brookland City Mayor. "Harps Food Stores has a great reputation, and we are proud that they have decided to open a location in Brookland. Thank you Harps and we look forward to your Grand Opening."

Harps is a 100% employee-owned company which operates 135 stores in four states: Arkansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, and Kansas. Harps is the largest employee owned company in the state of Arkansas. Harps was founded by Harvard and Floy Harp in Springdale, Arkansas in 1930. Since then, the company has grown to employ over 6,900 associates.

Visit: www.harpsfood.com for additional information and company history.