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MISSOULA—

The two-day blood drawing held recently at the University of Montana resulted in the donation of 330 units of blood, exceeding by 10 percent the 300-unit quota sought at the drawing by the Missoula-Mineral Counties Chapter of the American Red Cross.

According to Harriet Veazey, executive director of the area Red Cross chapter, a total of 377 persons volunteered to give blood at UM last month, but 47 were deferred for various reasons. Most of the blood donors were UM students, Veazey said.

The next blood drawing in the Garden City will be from 1-5 p.m. Nov. 11 and from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Nov. 12 at the First United Methodist Church, 300 E. Main St.

Students, faculty and staff from UM who were unable to volunteer to give blood at the University in October may wish to do so at the Nov. 11-12 drawing, Veazey said.

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