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Hillsborough Rewards Credit Card Program Accepting Grant Applications

*Hillsborough Based Non-Profit Groups Serving Youth and
Seniors Invited to Apply - Deadline is October 6th*

“The Hillsborough Township Credit Card Advisory Committee will be accepting grant applications beginning September 12th for the second round of grants for 2017,” announced Committeeman Doug Tomson Liaison to the Credit Card Advisory Committee.

“Applications will be made available on the Township website or can be picked up in the Administration Office for any Township based non-profit, senior or youth organizations to apply for grants up to \$2,000 funded through the Hillsborough Rewards Credit Card Program,” continued Committeeman Tomson.

Grant applications can be found on the Township website at www.hillsborough-nj.org or copies are available at the Administration Office. Completed applications must be submitted by Friday, October 6, 2017 to the Administration office to be considered for eligible grant funding.

To date, the Hillsborough Rewards Credit Card Program has awarded nearly over \$70,000 in grants to community based non-profit organizations that serve Township youth and seniors.

“The Hillsborough Rewards Credit Card Program, through the grant application process, is a great resource for our local organizations to obtain funding for needed assets without any expense to our Hillsborough Taxpayers,” added Committeeman Tomson.

Residents are invited to apply for the Affinity Hillsborough Rewards Visa credit card by visiting the Affinity Federal Credit Union or online at www.affinityfcu.com/hillsborough.

About the Hillsborough Rewards Credit Card Program:

Hillsborough Township has partnered with the Affinity Federal Credit Union to offer a Hillsborough Rewards Visa Credit Card. Administered through the Affinity Federal Credit Union – Hillsborough Branch, individuals and businesses are invited to sign up for a special Affinity Hillsborough Rewards Visa Credit Card. Similar to other reward based cards, card users

of the Hillsborough Rewards Visa Credit Card receive a point for every dollar spent which they can then redeem at a future time for various reward options such as cash back, gift cards, merchandise and much more. The unique feature of the Hillsborough Rewards Visa Credit Card, through AFCU is that a percentage of the purchases (card usage) is returned to the Hillsborough Credit Card trust fund. Funds deposited to the trust fund are then distributed to various Township non-profit senior citizen groups and youth organizations through the credit card grant application process. These grant opportunities are self-funded through the account and do not cost the taxpayers of Hillsborough any tax resource dollars.

About the Affinity Federal Credit Union:

Affinity is the largest credit union headquartered in the state of New Jersey with 16 branches, more than 135,000 members from thousands of businesses and organizations, and total assets in excess of \$2.8 billion. For more information, please visit their website at www.affinityfcu.com

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