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Hillsborough Township Qualifies for 100% State Aid

Township Meets Best Practices Requirements 3rd Consecutive Year

Hillsborough Township's Mayor, Carl Suraci announced that Hillsborough has met the state's best practices criteria again this year, qualifying for 100% of the eligible state aid.

Since the inception of the Best Practices Inventory Questionnaire three years ago, Hillsborough has qualified for 100% of the eligible state aid for the last three consecutive years.

"The Best Practices Inventory Questionnaire is issued by the state to determine whether a municipality is using the best management and fiscal practices on behalf of taxpayers. Hillsborough has an outstanding record for best practices when it comes to municipal finances. We pride ourselves in operating local government in a business-like manner which reflects the Township gaining best practices approval by the state again," Mayor Suraci said.

"Best Practices helps to ensure that a system of checks and balances is in place for purchasing, financial transactions and payroll processing through policies and procedures set by the Township. The annual audit is a confirmation of our compliance

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with the financial standards set by this document,” commented Township CFO, Nancy Haberle.

Hillsborough Township has consistently found ways to save tax dollars, including implementing policies on debt reduction and pay as you go financing for routine capital improvements which are examples of best practices.
