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Emerging Philanthropist Program Announces New, One-Time Grant Opportunity

Harrisburg, PA, July 28, 2014 – The Emerging Philanthropist Program (EPP) a joint project between The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC) and Harrisburg Young Professionals (HYP), invites nonprofit organizations to apply for a new grant opportunity. Any nonprofit organization in Harrisburg and/or serving Harrisburg families with programs or services that address family development and engagement with an emphasis on those families with children ages 0-10 years may apply for a one-time grant of \$5,000.00.

Applicants must either be a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, or have a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization act as a fiscal sponsor for the proposed project.

Prior to submitting an application, applicants are **required** to call Jennifer Doyle, Director of Development & Community Investment, at 717-236-5040 to have a preliminary discussion about your project. Ms. Doyle will then e-mail you full application materials, including Word document templates that **must be used** for the Grant Summary Sheet, Proposal Narrative, Program Logic Model, and Budget Worksheet. Application deadline is September 19, 2014.

For more information about this funding opportunity, please visit www.tfec.org.

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ABOUT THE FOUNDATION FOR ENHANCING COMMUNITIES

The Foundation for Enhancing Communities (TFEC) is a community foundation which aims to stimulate philanthropy and enhance the quality of life in the community through accumulating, managing, and disbursing financial assets while serving as a catalyst and neutral convener to meet a wide range of community needs in the south central Pennsylvania counties of Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Lebanon, and Perry, and also in the Dillsburg area. Regional foundations of TFEC include the Greater Harrisburg Foundation, the Franklin County Foundation, the Mechanicsburg Area Foundation, the Perry County Community Foundation, the Camp Hill Community Foundation, and the Dillsburg Area Foundation. For more information on TFEC, please visit www.tfec.org.

ABOUT HARRISBURG YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Harrisburg Young Professionals (HYP) is a group of more than 1,500 young active, civic-minded professionals who share a clear vision of Harrisburg's future as a great place to live, work and play. Its goals include "brain gain," economic development and city revitalization, promotion of diversity, increased volunteerism and providing business networking. For more information, visit www.hyp.org.