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The Martin M. Sacks Memorial Fund Awards \$5,880 to 5 Local Nonprofit Organizations

Harrisburg, PA, October 27, 2014 – The Martin M. Sacks Memorial Fund of The Foundation for Enhancing Communities is pleased to announce the 2014 grant awards. The fund makes grants in support of youth and family oriented programs that serve the South Central PA counties of Cumberland, Dauphin, and Perry.

The Martin M. Sacks Memorial Fund was established in 1984 in memory of Martin M. Sacks, a well-known accountant and handball devotee. Mr. Sacks was committed to supporting nonprofit organizations that provide programs and services for the disadvantaged and underserved, particularly youth.

A total of \$5,880 was distributed through 2014 grantmaking to the following nonprofit organizations:

- Camp Hebron Inc, \$1,080.00 for scholarships for sports camp
- Channels, \$1,600.00 for the Back Pack Program
- Harrisburg Area YMCA, \$1,000.00 for Social Work Services for Residence Program
- State Street Academy of Music at St Lawrence, \$1,000.00 for Making Music Together SSA Partners with Joshua Group
- United Methodist Home for Children Residential Care Inc, \$1,200.00 for direct childcare expenses

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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.