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To: IHOEP Members
From: IHOEP Board of Directors and Stephanie Preusch, Executive Director
Re: IHOEP Fall 2010 Grant Application

The IHOEP Fall 2010 Grant Application is now available. The Application is due on Friday, August 20, 2010.

The Fall 2010 Grant Application is available at the Members section of the IHOEP web site at www.ihoeep.com.

Contact IHOEP to Review Eligibility Requirements

In the past, some applications did not meet the eligibility guidelines and not did receive consideration for funding. In order to prevent this from happening, please call Stephanie Preusch at 515-229-7737 to make sure the project meets the eligibility requirements.

IHOEP Program Certification

IHOEP Program Certification is required prior to applying for most types of applications. Please refer to the eligibility requirements for more information. IHOEP is encouraging all members to apply for national certification through the National Industry Standards for Homeownership Education and Counseling at www.homeownershipstandards.com. Agencies that receive this national certification will be considered IHOEP Program Certified.

****Timing of IHOEP Grant Award****

Due to an increase in demand for the IHOEP Grant funds, IHOEP is seeking a new funding source for these grants. Because of funding timelines, IHOEP may not know how many projects it is able to fund by the IHOEP Annual Meeting on September 8, 2010. We fully expect to raise the funds necessary, but may not be able to notify some or all of the applicants of their award until November 2010. It is our hope to notify all applicants of the expected award date by September 1, 2010, however, notification may be later for some if there are delays in receiving IHOEP's funding.

Please contact Stephanie Preusch, IHOEP Executive Director, at 515-229-7737 or spreusch@ihoeep.com if you have questions.