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DATE: March 20, 2017
TO: Harford County High School Guidance Counselors
FROM: Alice A. Archer, Secretary/Treasurer
Harford County Farm Bureau, Inc.
RE: **Harford County Farm Bureau Scholarship Program**

Harford County Farm Bureau, Inc. is asking for your help in disseminating information about our scholarship program to graduating high school seniors.

The **Harford County Farm Bureau Scholarship** is available to applicants whose families are members of Harford County Farm Bureau. The applicant must be accepted or enrolled in a full-time accredited 2 or 4 year college, university, or technical school, and the applicant's chosen curriculum must be in an approved program in agriculture or an agriculturally related field.

The **Harford County 4-H Memorial Scholarship** is available to applicants who have been a member of Harford County 4-H for a minimum of 2 years. This scholarship was established to memorialize several Harford County 4-H members who lost their lives at a young age because of accidents or health issues. Funds for this scholarship come from donations and from the sale of 4-H livestock projects which are sold at the Harford County Farm Fair.

There is one scholarship application form, which can be used for either or both scholarships. Eligible applicants should be provided with a copy of this letter and the enclosed application form, in either hard copy or electronically. To obtain an electronic copy, please contact the Farm Bureau office at 410-836-7773 or e-mail harfordfb@gmail.com.

The completed application and all requested information should be sent to: Harford County Farm Bureau, P.O. Box 532, Forest Hill, MD 21050. **Applications must be postmarked by or delivered to the Farm Bureau Office (2335 Rock Spring Road) by Friday, April 28, 2017.**

All completed applications will be reviewed by Harford County Farm Bureau's Education/Scholarship Committee, with the possibility of a personal interview of the applicant if needed. The committee's recommendations will be presented to the Board of Directors for final approval at their May 2017 meeting.

Recipients of Harford County Farm Bureau Scholarship awards will be recognized during senior award assemblies at local high schools and will be notified in writing on/about June 2, 2017.

Recipients of Harford County 4-H Memorial Scholarship awards will be announced prior to the 4-H Livestock Auction at the Harford County Farm Fair on Saturday, July 29, 2017.

If there are any questions or further information is needed, please contact the Farm Bureau office.