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Martin County Community Foundation announces grants and scholarships availability

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The board of advisors of the Martin County Community Foundation is currently accepting grant requests for projects funded from its community fund and applications for scholarships from the Meredith Griffin Revels Memorial Scholarship, according to Susan Dunlow, board president.

Grant funds are available for nonprofit organizations that serve general charitable needs in Martin County. Applications are available beginning March 11. Visit nccommunityfoundation.org for information about applying. The deadline for submitting applications is noon April 12.

The scholarship is available for Martin County students enrolling in an accredited institution of higher learning to pursue or complete a degree in nursing or related medical field. The application is available on nccemmunityfoundation.org/scholarships. The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, March 25.

The Martin County Community Foundation is an affiliate of the North Carolina Community Foundation. The community fund was established to help support local charitable needs through annual grants. In addition to Dunlow, board members are: Mary Katherine Saunders (treasurer), Lucia Peel (secretary), Harlan Frye, Simon Griffin, Greg Shepherd and Nancy Winslow.

For further information, contact NCCF Regional Associate Natalie Jenkins Peel at 252-562-9824 or npeel@nccommunityfoundation.org or visit the NCCF website at nccommunityfoundation.org.

About the North Carolina Community Foundation

The NCCF is the single statewide community foundation serving North Carolina and has made \$101 million in grants since its inception in 1988. With more than \$237 million in assets, NCCF sustains 1,200 endowments established to provide long-term support of a broad range of community needs, nonprofit organizations, institutions and scholarships. The NCCF partners with 60 affiliate foundations to provide local resource allocation and community assistance in 67 counties across the state. An important component of NCCF's mission is to ensure that rural philanthropy has a voice at local, regional and national levels.

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