**AFP Hampton Roads Chapter Membership Scholarships**

AFP understands the economic challenges that current and prospective members face as a result of COVID-19. We are pleased to announce a new scholarship program with the goal of recruiting new members and retaining existing members who are unable to afford their annual membership dues.

**We are excited to offer six scholarships for our chapter! (3 for new members; 3 for renewing members**

The scholarship covers a one-year AFP membership.

Scholarship Recipients are required to participate in a committee actively and are strongly encouraged to attend all AFP-HR meetings.

The AFP-HR meetings *are generally* held on the second Tuesday of each month at the Town Center City Club (222 Central Park Avenue #230, Virginia Beach, VA 23462), but are currently made available via Zoom.

Please note that the scholarships are not transferrable to other recipients.

**Application Deadline: September 15th, 2020.**

Applications should be sent to: admin@afp-hr.org. For questions call Scholarship Committee chair, Linda Dyer at 757-672-2045.

*The Association of Fundraising Professionals Hampton Roads (AFP-HR) Chapter was founded in July of 2001 to provide professional education, career development and growth of fundraising professionals in the region while promoting high ethical standards and collegiality for those in the fundraising profession.*

I. Personal Information

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# of Years at Organization # of Years in Profession AFP Member?

Other fundraising professional experience? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If yes, please specify number of years and organization name(s):

II. Rationale for Attendance

 Please explain, in the space provided or on a separate document, why you would like to attend the AFP-HR meetings and the benefits of your participation.

The intent of this scholarship program is to make available continuing educational opportunities, which would not otherwise be available to the participant. Please answer the following questions:

Would you be able to attend the program without this scholarship? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

Does your organization budget for conferences/seminars? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

If yes, explain why the budget will not allow you to attend this particular program:

Do you work for a 501(c)(3) organization? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

Please state the total budget of your 501 (c)(3) organization $\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you work for a for-profit consulting firm? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

Have you previously received an AFP scholarship? \_\_\_Yes \_\_\_No

 If yes, please indicate when\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If selected to receive a one year membership to AFP-HR, I agree to attend 70% of the monthly meetings and actively participate on a committee.

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Applicant’s Signature Date

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