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SUFFOLK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION TEAMS WITH ROTARY DISTRICT 7260 TO OFFER FOUR \$5,000 "SUPERSTORM SANDY" SCHOLARSHIPS

Selden, NY – At the Suffolk Community College Foundation's recent golf outing, Rotary District 7260 presented funding to create four \$5,000 scholarships for students at the College who were adversely impacted by last year's Superstorm Sandy.

The scholarships are being made available to full-time students who must submit an application and must provide a narrative and supporting documents (claims, photos, letters) demonstrating their financial need and their desire to continue their academic studies at Suffolk County Community College. The deadline for applications is November 1, 2013 and the college-wide scholarship committee will meet in January 2014 to choose the spring semester recipients.

"The generosity demonstrated by the Rotarians reflects their commitment to supporting our community of scholars and providing help to neighbors who are in need," said Dr. Shaun L. McKay, President of Suffolk County Community College.

Suffolk County Community College students can access the application and obtain further information about the scholarship by accessing the following link: www.sunysuffolk.edu/SuperstormSandy

About the Suffolk Community College Foundation

The Suffolk Community College Foundation is a nonprofit organization founded to raise money to support the mission of Suffolk County Community College - the largest community college in the State University of New York (SUNY) system, enrolling more than 26,000 students at its three campuses in Selden, Brentwood and Riverhead. While scholarships comprise the largest use of the assets of the Foundation, contributions also help fund emergency student loans, staff development, academic enrichment programs, and activities to enhance the community's awareness of the College.