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Subject: Scholarship Program

Dear Steve,

On Monday, October 7, 2024 DFSS, on behalf of the City, accepted a check from 77 Communities in the amount of \$20,000 to support our annual CSBG scholarship program. Individual awards range from \$1,000 to \$5,000. These scholarships are exclusively available to full-time students enrolled in a college, university, or vocational training program during the fall semester 2024.

To be eligible for this one-time scholarship, students must meet the following criteria:

1. Reside in the City of Chicago
2. Satisfy the program's income requirements
3. Earned a high school diploma or its equivalent
4. Be enrolled full-time at an accredited post-secondary or vocational institution in Illinois

Thank you,

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