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Dear Friend:

I am writing to inform you that the Hempstead Town Board has authorized 6,000 personal protective equipment (PPE) kits to be provided to local small businesses. This is being done in order to supply some of the necessary materials for safe commerce as well as help alleviate the expense associated with the routine purchase of these everyday supplies. We empathize with businesses in these challenging times and will offer these kits to all who need, while supplies last.

Each PPE kit comes fully equipped with the basic necessities needed to remain safe and follow appropriate COVID-19 protocols. The kits include:

- A contactless infrared digital thermometer
- Five face shields
- Eight boxes of 50 three-ply masks
- Two boxes of 100 pairs of powder-free, vinyl gloves
- Two gallons of hand sanitizer with a spray pump
- A canister of 1,500 sanitizing wipes

This PPE initiative has been made possible through funding from the federal CARES Act. Throughout the pandemic, the Town of Hempstead, with this funding, has worked with our healthcare professionals, first responders and non-profit community organizations to provide supplies and funding to those who need it most. In four months, over 1 million meals have been provided to families. We have provided crucial funding to our local hospitals and provided free COVID-19 antibody testing to residents. Most recently, the town board authorized additional funding to provide residents with essential COVID-19 diagnostic testing as businesses and schools reopen.

To learn more about the program or apply for a PPE kit, please visit https://example.com/ppe-giveaway today. Information regarding eligibility to apply is provided on the website.

The Town of Hempstead is strong and resilient. We will get through this pandemic together as we remain committed to providing the aid needed to reopen and restore services to our residents and businesses.

Sincerely,

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