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HARFORD COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARIES COLLECTING SCHOOL SUPPLIES FOR STUFF THE BUS CAMPAIGN

(Belcamp, Maryland – August 10, 2015) Harford County Public Library is again participating in the annual Stuff the Bus school supply campaign. Sponsored by the Greater Excellence in Education Foundation (GEEF), donation boxes are located in each of the 11 Library locations for the public and staff to provide school supplies for students in need.

In Harford County, 11,000 students in public schools are economically disadvantaged. These children don’t necessarily have the needed school supplies essential for quality learning and it is estimated that teachers spend an average of $500-$2,000 of their own money to buy school supplies for their students in need.

Suggested school supplies include: pencils, pens, colored pencils, washable markers, crayons, blunt edge scissors, glue sticks, bottle glue, notebook paper, erasers, two pocket folders with brads, 1 ½” binders, binder separators, binder zippered pencil pouches, plastic pencil cases, index cards, dry erase markers, dry erasers, protractors, highlighters, composition books and backpacks.

Donations to the 2015 Stuff the Bus school supply campaign will be accepted until September 19th. For more information, visit the GEEF website at www.geefinc.com.

Harford County Public Library operates eleven branches located throughout Harford County, Maryland. The library serves over 181,000 registered borrowers of all ages and has an annual circulation of over 3.8 million. Harford County Public Library is committed to connecting people with information and promoting the love of reading within the community.

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