# July 8, 2021

## **Covering Quarter ending 6/30/2021**

North Arkansas College acknowledges the institution has signed and returned to the Department of Certification and Agreement an assurance that North Arkansas College intends to use no less than 50 percent of the funds received under Section 18004 (a)(1) of the CARES Act to provide Emergency Financial Aid Grants to students.

**Total Amount of Funds Received: \$4,059,507** 

### **Total Amount of Emergency Financial Aid Grants Distributed:**

As of June 30, 2021 - \$1,444,804

**Estimated Total Number of Eligible Students: 2,325** 

**Total Number of Students Who Have Received An Emergency Financial Aid Grant:** 2,153 unduplicated students

### **Method Used to Determine Eligibility:**

Prioritization was placed on student financial need.

Prior to May 14<sup>th</sup>: All US citizens and eligible non-US citizens who were enrolled in college credit courses were eligible for HEERF II funding.

After May 14<sup>th</sup>: All US citizens and eligible non-US citizens as well as DACA, refugees, asylum seekers, other DREAMers, and similar undocumented students.

#### **Emergency Financial Aid Grant Instructions:**

Hi Student!

As you may know, the Federal Government has made HEERF II (CARES Act II) money available for student grants to assist with Covid related expenses. Northark has been given the opportunity to disburse these grants to Northark students.

According to our records, you are eligible for a student grant from the CARES Act II money. If you have entered your banking information in myNorthark, you will receive a direct deposit. If you have not completed your direct deposit information, a check will be mailed to you on February 26<sup>th</sup>.

We hope this money will help you meet your expenses and allow you to focus on your success this semester.

As always, if we can help in any way, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Have a great day,

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