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Northern Ocean Habitat for Humanity and Amboy Bank Partner on Personal Finance and Budgeting Workshop

TOMS RIVER – Northern Ocean Habitat for Humanity, in partnership with Amboy Bank, will host a Personal Finance and Budgeting workshop on Tuesday May 14th from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Habitat ReStore, 1214 Route 37 East, Toms River.

The workshop is designed to assist those who are interested in applying for a Habitat home, but anyone in the community interested in gaining a better understanding of how budgeting can help you manage your money is welcome. Attendance is free, but reservations are required. Reserve your spot online at <https://nohfh.com/personal-finance-and-budgeting-workshop>, by sending email to selection@nohfh.com, or by calling 732-228-7962, extension 102.

“Becoming a homeowner is a big endeavor for everyone involved. It takes a lot of hard work and determination, and Habitat wants to do everything we can to provide a hand up. One way we do that is through financial education,” said Suzan Fichtner, Northern Ocean Habitat’s Executive Director.

“Budgeting is the key to managing your personal finances. It ensures that you will always have enough money for the things you need and the things that are important to you, which is critical to financial growth and stability,” said Gregory Scharpf, President and CEO of Amboy Bank. “We are pleased to work with Habitat to offer this workshop to the community and help our neighbors succeed.”

Much like having a safe, affordable place to call home will boost an individual’s sense of well-being and pride, being able to take control of finances can provide the confidence and momentum to dream bigger. It starts with a house, but where it goes after that is up to you.

Northern Ocean Habitat for Humanity will soon be accepting applications from candidate homeowners for its 2020 new home build. Please stay tuned to the Northern Ocean Habitat for Humanity website (www.nohfh.com) and local newspapers for more information. The future Habitat home will be constructed in the Pinewald-Keswick section of Berkeley Township.

Since its founding in 1999, Northern Ocean Habitat has constructed 19 affordable homes, restored 60 homes ravaged by Hurricane Sandy, and completed 207 home repair projects.

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