



The Erica Lenore Diedrichsen Butterfly Memorial
Foundation
23 Old Shark River Road, Eatontown, NJ 07724
eldbmf@gmail.com

February 14, 2026

Dear Mayor Talerico,

I hope this message finds you well.

The Erica Lenore Diedrichsen Butterfly Memorial Foundation, Inc. respectfully submits this request for funding support in the amount of \$15,000 to further our mission of advancing STEM education and cardiac health initiatives for youth and adults in Eatontown and the surrounding communities.

Our foundation provides STEM scholarships and expands access to lifesaving CPR certification and cardiac education programs. CPR training and certification can be costly, yet they are critical skills that empower individuals to respond effectively in cardiac emergencies. The requested funds would directly support STEM scholarships and CPR certification training, with a focus on benefiting Eatontown residents of all ages.

Despite being a relatively young organization, the foundation has already made a meaningful impact. To date, we have:

- Awarded over \$20,000 in scholarships to students pursuing higher education
- Purchased health and leisure items for infants and children who are medically compromised
- Provided funding to a local middle school to support CPR education
- Partnered with youth groups to deliver cardiac education and CPR training initiatives

These efforts reflect our commitment to education, health, and community well-being, and we are eager to continue expanding our reach within Eatontown.

We would be honored to work in partnership with the Borough of Eatontown to support these important initiatives and further strengthen the health and educational opportunities available to our community.

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Thank you for your time, consideration, and dedication to the residents of Eatontown. We would welcome the opportunity to discuss this request further at your convenience.

Respectfully,

The Erica Lenore Diedrichsen
Butterfly Memorial Foundation, Inc.

Donna Diedrichsen

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732-610-1391

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April 16, 2026

Mrs. Donna Diedrichsen, Trustee
The Erica Lenore Diedrichsen Butterfly Memorial Foundation
23 Old Shark River Road
Eatontown, NJ 07724

Dear Mrs. Diedrichsen,

The Community Benefits Advisory Committee is in receipt of your letter dated February 14, 2026, wherein you requested \$15,000 to further your foundation's mission of advancing STEM education and cardiac health initiatives for youth and adults in Eatontown and the surrounding communities.

The Community Benefits Advisory Committee is charged with overseeing the implementation of the Community Benefits Agreement between the Borough of Eatontown, Netflix and the New Jersey Economic Development Authority. In this regard, it considered your request at its meeting of February 17, 2026, found it to be a locally prioritized community benefit and approved your request.

Please sign below indicating your intention to: (1) use the funds as stated in your letter dated February 14, 2026 and (2) return to the Borough any funds that are not expended for the stated purpose.

Thank you,

Anthony Talerico, Jr.
Mayor

Agreed:

Donna Diedrichsen, Trustee
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