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FABRIC OF THE COMMUNITY - AN INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE

The Hillsdale Free Public Library is creating a crazy quilt of fabrics contributed by the community. As a business in Hillsdale you are invited to participate by sharing a t-shirt or some other fabric garment associated with the conduct of your business so that you may be represented as part of "The Fabric of the Community."

The Library seeks to document how local businesses and organizations contribute to our community. Please tell us a little bit about your business, its inception, or an interesting story relating your business to Hillsdale. Did you sponsor a sports team? Did you sponsor a special event? Do you make regular donations in support of other community activities? How many Hillsdale residents do you employ? Please also include a current business card or brochure that we can add to our permanent local history collection.

The quilt will be assembled over several months and will be finished by March 2022 in time for New Jersey Makers Day. It will remain on display at the library through the end of 2022 and become part of the local history collection.

Please also consider donating a second t-shirt in size medium or large, I promise to wear it around the Library from time to time, calling attention to your participation in this project. Thank you for your consideration. Please call or email if you have any questions. Materials can be dropped off at the library, mailed to the address below, or I'll visit you personally if you call.

Very Truly Yours,

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