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Dear Friends,

On behalf of America's largest township, I'd like to congratulate Hofstra University on its 28th Annual Gala. Hofstra University remains a pillar of our community and a highly successful educational institution that receives accolades from all over the nation. We are fortunate for our partnership with this university, its faculty, and its students.

Tonight is about celebrating the fine work of Hofstra University and supporting its mission of higher learning for thousands of students. Delivering an exceptional college experience, Hofstra University has also made its mark on the country by hosting presidential debates, competing in NCAA Division I athletics, holding massive cultural events and so much more.

A hearty congratulations to tonight's honoree David S. Mack, who personifies the educational mission of Hofstra University. It's clear that Mr. Mack has left his mark on the institution, as his name appears on various buildings including The David S. Mack Sports and Exhibition Complex, the Sondra and David S. Mack Student Center, and Mack Hall. His legacy of philanthropy to the school and its students is legendary and will inspire knowledge-seekers for many years to come.

Once more, congratulations to Hofstra University and David S. Mack. I wish you and all those involved with Hofstra University's education mission the very best, and I look forward to working collaboratively with everyone in the very near future.

Sincerely,

Melissa Miller

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