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Important Announcement from Brad Wilson, Founder of Long Island Guardian Grants Corp., Regarding Name Change

East Islip, NY – Brad Wilson, Founder of what was formerly known as Long Island Homes for Heroes, announces the organization's official name change to Long Island Guardian Grants Corp. This change is solely to address potential confusion with similarly named entities and to ensure clarity in the organization's identity and mission.

This name change does not alter the organization's commitment or operations but is a strategic move to distinguish its unique role in supporting Long Island's volunteer first responders. Long Island Guardian Grants Corp. continues its dedicated mission to provide financial assistance to those who selflessly serve our communities in fire and ambulance services.

Wilson stated, "The name Long Island Guardian Grants Corp. better reflects our focus and commitment to these brave individuals. While our name has changed, our dedication to assisting volunteer firefighters and ambulance crew members in achieving their dreams of homeownership remains as strong as ever."

The organization, in partnership with the Long Island Housing Partnership (LIHP), facilitates the Employer Assisted Housing Program, which offers up to \$26,000 in down payment assistance and \$24,000 for property improvements to eligible volunteer first responders.

A new website, <u>www.LIGG.org</u>, accompanies this name change. The website serves as an informative platform providing details about the application process, eligibility criteria, and opportunities for community members to support this cause.

Wilson concluded, "We are excited to continue our journey under the new name of Long Island Guardian Grants Corp. and invite everyone to visit our new website to learn how they can support the invaluable work of Long Island's volunteer first responders."

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