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Subject: Federal emergency relief funds for you

[Name],

I hope you are enjoying these early days of summer and are starting to settle into a productive routine. I am writing today to notify you of some financial relief you are eligible to receive.

The summer months can create unique challenges with food insecurity in the absence of a meal plan on campus. That's why the College has made the decision to distribute its remaining federal American Rescue Plan (ARP) funds to address food insecurity.

Because you are residing in campus housing this summer or are enrolled in a campus-based summer research or internship program, you are receiving a one-time payment of federal ARP funds in the amount of **\$348.24**.

If you have direct deposit set up with Illinois College, you will notice that the above amount was deposited into your bank account today. If you do not have direct deposit, a check is waiting for you to pick up in the Illinois College Mailroom, Baxter Hall.

For more information about ARP and the methodology that Illinois College used to determine your receipt of funds, please visit <https://www.ic.edu/HilltopREADY/ARP-Act>. Other questions may be directed to the Office of Student Financial Services at sfs@ic.edu or 217.245.3035.

It is my great hope that these funds will provide you with needed assistance this summer.

Sincerely,
President Farley