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**INVESTING IN THE FUTURE: ONESTAR FOUNDATION TO GIVE SCHOOLS AND
NONPROFITS THE TOOLS FOR SUCCESS**

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AMARILLO – The OneStar Foundation will host a public training workshop on developing practices and capabilities necessary for the Texas non-profit sector to succeed. The training will be held from 9 a.m. – 4 p.m. on July 28th and 29th at the Region 16 Education Service Center.

Participants attending OneStar’s “Capacity Building 101” on July 28th will receive information about the benefits of strengthening non-profits, resources for assessing and improving performance and best practice strategies to strengthen organizations for enhanced service delivery. Participants attending on July 29th will be trained on “Elements of Effective Practices for Mentoring.”

Anyone interested in improving or starting a non-profit organization or mentoring program is welcome to attend.

Established in 2004 as a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, OneStar Foundation is designated by the State of Texas to engage non-profits, government and businesses to impact social issues. OneStar serves as the AmeriCorps state service commission for Texas and administers the AmeriCorps*Texas program.

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