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Dear Future Raffle Winner,

Recently, a developer, as of right, was seeking to demolish the Thomas Powell house on Merritt Road and build two new homes. Instead, the Village Board of Trustees decided to preserve its history and purchased the historic Thomas Powell House. The Village, School District, the Farmingdale-Bethpage Historical Society and other community groups all have an interest in maintaining this 324-year-old home to teach students about our local history, possibly operate it as a museum and have a meeting place for local community groups. The Village is presently seeking to have the house declared a Historical Landmark and placed on the National Registry. The house needs to be renovated, and a Village authorized committee is running a fundraiser to help offset renovation costs and reward donors who participate in this effort. Those participating in this inaugural fundraiser will be memorialized at the Thomas Powell Home (exactly how TBD). That's where you come in.

The raffle will have a winner each day for 30 consecutive days starting on February 9th and ending on March 9th. See the enclosed calendar for daily prizes with special awards on New Year's Eve (early bird drawing) Super Bowl Sunday, Valentine's Day, Mardi Gras day and a \$1,700 Grand Prize drawing on Sunday, March 9th.

Tickets are \$100 each. For your \$100 you will have 25 chances to win each day. Each day a ticket will be pulled from the raffle drum. Winners will be called each day, and the winning ticket number will be posted on the Village of Farmingdale website (https://farmingdalevillage.com). Every winning ticket will be put back in the raffle drum, so you could win more than once.

As an extra incentive, we will be having an early bird drawing on New Year's Eve at the Village Annual Ball Drop. This would be a great stocking stuffer!! So, get your tickets by December 31 to be eligible for this early bird drawing and be a winner to start out the New Year on the right foot!

GOOD LUCK!

The Thomas Powell Committee

Please complete the form below, and mail your payment and form to: Thomas Powell Committee, 154 Prospect Street, Farmingdale, NY 11735. Upon receipt, your ticket(s) will be mailed to you. Any questions, please call 516-420-0674.

^{*} Payouts are based on a minimum of 250 tickets sold. Less than 250 sold, payouts will be reduced accordingly.