

# Spring Celebration



Saturday, April 9 at 6 PM

The Social Profit Center at Mill One

Hamilton, NJ 08609

isles  
*Self-Help Community*

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## **ISLES SPRING CELEBRATION RECOGNIZES 40 YEARS OF IMPACT ON APRIL 9**

*Cheers to 40 years!*

HAMILTON, NJ — Tickets are on sale for Isles' Spring Celebration fundraiser on Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm at the Social Profit Center at Mill One in Hamilton, NJ. This is a cocktail-style party that recognizes Isles' 40 years of impact and honors two important friends, philanthropist Judy Scheide and New Jersey Community Capital President Bernel Hall. Tickets are available for purchase at <https://isles.org/springcelebration>.

This fundraiser marks the fourth major event Isles has hosted at the Social Profit Center at Mill One, a historic mill that Isles renovated into a community hub for nonprofits, social impact offices and artists as well as Isles' headquarters.

This event will feature a 'Taste of the Trenton Region,' with local diverse food and drink options, live music, and an interactive art display created by Trenton artists Leon Rainbow and Sophie Ban.

"We're so excited to invite friends into this one-of-a-kind space to celebrate community and honor two important friends" says Isles' CEO Sean Jackson. "Judy Scheide's impact on Isles' youth education and poverty relief efforts is immeasurable. And Bernel Hall and NJCC played a critical role in securing financing to complete the Mill One complex."



*Isles' 2019 Celebration at Mill One*

This event also recognizes Isles' four decades of impact in the Trenton region. Through an array of self-help services, Isles has empowered more than 1,200 students to receive educational opportunities and job training, 660 families to purchase homes or save them from foreclosure, and hundreds of gardeners to participate in urban agriculture across in the city. In addition, Isles has remediated more than 450 homes to be lead-safe, and weatherized more than 1,000 to be energy efficient.

This event would not be possible without its 18+ sponsors and corporate supporters. Led by Gold Partner NJM, sponsors include Silver Partners PSEG, PNC Bank, Matrix, and Walsh Law; Bronze Partners Hackensack Meridian Health, CBIZ Borden Perlman, First Bank NJ, M&T Bank, Sobel and Co, and RBC

Wealth Management; Sustaining Partners Capital Health, The Bank of Princeton, Investors Bank, Parker McCay, Ramboll, Bristol Myers Squibb, and Curio Wellness.

“This is one of my favorite events of the year,” says Isles’ Chief Operating Officer John Hart. “I call it a perfect ‘date night’ because it’s such a fun evening to enjoy local food and drink while supporting an impactful organization.”

More information, including ticket purchasing and COVID-safe protocols is available on our website at <https://isles.org/springcelebration>.

**About Isles:**

Founded in 1981, Isles, Inc. is a community development and environmental organization designed to foster self-reliant families and healthy, sustainable communities. Isles revitalizes communities, builds wealth, educates and trains, and creates healthy homes and spaces. Beyond its central New Jersey base, Isles works to influence policy and helps others build healthy, self-help approaches. For more information, visit [www.isles.org](http://www.isles.org)

**About the Social Profit Center at Mill One:**

Housed in a large, formerly vacant textile mill, Isles’ Social Profit Center brings together nonprofits, social impact businesses, and artists under one roof. The Center offers affordable, flexible, and high performing office, studio, and warehouse spaces in a unique, energy efficient historic building. For more information, including available spaces, visit [www.socialprofitcenter.org](http://www.socialprofitcenter.org)

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