## FRESH START LOAN CREDIT BUILDING

## 5 REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Take entire Making Cent\$ Financial Class
- 2. Have a Del-One Credit Union account
- 3. Have Consistent, Legal Income
- 4. Have a one-on-one meeting with Financial Instructor (Holly)
- 5. Savings Match must be completed first. Loans may not be used to fund the Savings Match.

## LOAN COMPONENTS:

- UP TO \$500 (May be \$100 \$500)
- ONE YEAR LOAN
- INTEREST RATE = 3.2% (.032)
- Loan may be paid off early.

## **Other Caveats:**

- The Making CentS program secures the loan.
- The loan appears as an unsecured loan to the participant.
- The loan must be paid off. Don't hurt future participants!
- After completing all 4 requirements and ascertaining that the
  participant will be comfortable paying off the loan, the instructor
  will provide the participant with a letter to take to Del-One. The
  instructor faxes another letter to the specific branch instructing
  them to reserve money from the Making CentS Fresh Start Grant
  to secure the participants loan.

The participant may apply for another loan after paying off the first one. Each loan increases the participant's credit score by 15 – 20 points.