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Dear Neighbor:

Wellesley is a community known for its excellent schools, services, parks, organizations, and so much more. It is also home to many families who need help from time to time.

For over 100 years, Wellesley Friendly Aid Association (WFA) has served Wellesley residents by providing programs that meet a range of different needs for all income levels and age groups. Our newest program, Wellesley Connects, a mentoring program for first generation college-bound students at Wellesley High School, is a huge success, with 100% of its first "class" accepted to college, and a new group of juniors and seniors following them. The Friendship Circle, one of our oldest programs, provides a weekly luncheon program for senior ladies to connect and socialize with one another. Our Medical Equipment Loan program provides items such as walkers, shower chairs, wheelchairs, etc. to any resident at no cost.

Your gift will be used to support these and other WFA programs, all of which are described in the enclosed brochure.

For example:

- \$250-\$2000 will provide funds for an emergency or unexpected hardship.
- \$125 will cover a special program for 25-30 women in Friendship Circle.
- \$40 will provide a holiday meal for a family.

Wellesley Friendly Aid is a tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization that depends exclusively on donations from individuals, local businesses, and other local organizations.

Help us continue helping your neighbors by donating today. Please complete the enclosed reply card and send it to us with your check, or donate online at www.wellesleyfriendlyaid.org.

You can also support WFA by becoming a volunteer or by referring Wellesley residents who might benefit from any of our services to Karen Mondell, our Program Administrator.

We thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Deborah M. Cogill
President

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