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Ms. Sandy Pollock Hamilton Police Service Auction Account 155 King William St Hamilton, ON L8R 1A7

Dear Ms. Pollock and Staff at Hamilton Police Service,

On behalf of the clients, staff and volunteers at Wesley, I would like to express my gratitude for your generous donation in support of Case for Kids, our annual event to raise funds to provide programs and services for children, youth and families in priority neighbourhoods in Hamilton.

Wesley operates licensed child care, including infant care and before/after school programs and camps during school breaks because we know that quality early childhood education, healthy meals, and loving kindness helps all children and is especially important for those struggling with the effects of poverty.

Your generosity helps our local children and their families know that people care.

Wesley's youth services also work with young people at risk to navigate the many challenges of life. One of the biggest problems we face is when young people are homeless. That's why seventeen years ago we created Wesley Youth Housing, Hamilton's only transitional housing program for youth as well as homelessness diversion beds to intervene early. Wesley also operates mobile street outreach teams and recreation-based youth centres in priority neighbourhoods in Hamilton and Brantford.

The challenges faced by today's youth look different from those of past generations. I am glad that as times change that Wesley can continue to change to meet the needs of our most vulnerable residents.

Your sponsorship amount of \$500.00 is a testament to your belief in our mission and commitment to making this positive impact in our community. We are deeply grateful for your kindness and look forward to continuing our journey together.

Thank you so much for your generous support!

If ever you have any questions about our work or how you can continue to help, please feel free to be in touch by email at <a href="mailto:giving@wesley.ca">giving@wesley.ca</a> or by calling (905) 528-5629 ext. 285 and again, thank you for your donation.

With sincere appreciation,

Rashed Afif

Chief Executive Officer