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Dear Ms. Rollins,

Cordial Christian greetings.

I would like, first of all, to assure you that we, at Highway Tabernacle and Resurrection Life Church, are committed to the neighborhoods where we minister, and that we recognize our responsibility as partners with our neighbors.

Unfortunately, as you know, our church is in a period of transition, and we are unable to support as much as we would like. In particular, we do not have someone on staff who can open the building and provide supervision for a non-church event. Also, when the deacons met this Sunday, we discussed the enormous cost of heating the building, which is causing us to re-evaluate the ways that we

make the building available during the winter months.

On behalf of the deacons, I would encourage you to stick with us and allow us the opportunity to partner with you in the future once we are back at full strength.

Warmly,

Otis A. Fortenberry, Secretary Highway Tabernacle Board of Deacons