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Sent: Thursday, May 19, 2022 11:07 AM
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Subject: RE: IFC requests more local government funding for the only programs housing for county residents experiencing homelessness

Thank you for your correspondence with the Town of Chapel Hill. The Mayor and Town Council are interested in what you have to say. By way of this email, I am forwarding your message to the Mayor and each of the Council Members, as well as to the appropriate staff person who may be able to assist in providing additional information or otherwise addressing your concerns.

Again, thank you for your message.

Sincerely,

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Dear Mayor and Town Council members,

For eleven years I've had the privilege of working at the Inter-Faith Council for Social Service (IFC) and seeing firsthand how much care and attention our staff and volunteers bring to their

work providing critical social services to persons in need who live or work in Orange County. I am also very thankful that our senior staff and Board are leading the way on IFC's proactive journey towards justice and liberation. (My apologies for duplicate emails).

I am writing today to ask you to agree to entering into a five-year agreement to fund IFC's two residential facilities that provide the only housing in Orange County for single men, single women and families experiencing homelessness. I think your commitment to this project would be an excellent demonstration of Chapel Hill's history of forward-thinking leadership and action for the cause of social justice.

Additionally, I think your support will also increase IFC's support from other funders, especially foundations and high net-worth individuals and families, because the increased local government support is a strong demonstration of how highly the local governments value their partnership with IFC and also recognition of IFC's importance to the local social safety net. In turn, I believe the overall increase in funding will lead to increases in

- staff and volunteer training
- support services for our program residents
- increased success rates as individuals and families move out from the IFC residential facilities into their own permanent housing

Thank you very much for considering supporting IFC's request for more, and more stable, local government funding for the only emergency housing programs in the Towns and County for people experiencing homelessness.

best regards,

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