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Dear Mr. Snipes,

I would like to thank you, your committee, and the First Unitarian Universalist Church so very much for your very generous support of the Friends of Phillis Wheatley High School. Your two shared offerings, totaling \$1303.00, have enabled us to begin two new programs that will directly benefit Wheatley students in need.

First, half the students come to school by public bus using a bus pass that costs them approximately \$7 a week. At the end of the month many of those families cannot afford to send their children to school. Friends of Phillis Wheatley High School has now begun purchasing bus passes for those students. The wonderful social worker at the school will distribute these passes to students in need.

Second, polo shirts in one of four colors are the required school uniform. Many students cannot afford them. We have begun purchasing these shirts in bulk for the social worker to distribute to those students.

All monetary donations go directly to our programs. We have no staff or even an office. Because we have no overhead, every cent of your extremely generous gift will help facilitate the success of Wheatley students. Without the support of partners such as yourselves, we would not be able to function.

Gifts such as yours are extremely important as we grow our organization. We are so very grateful for your continued generosity.

Thank you,

Diane Wolfthal
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