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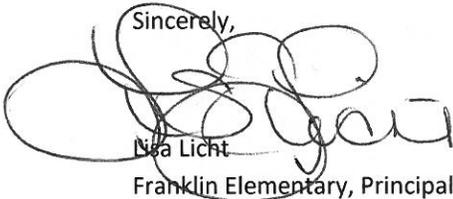
Dear Friend:

I am pleased to share my overwhelming support for Save Our Children's mission and the local efforts being led by Executive Director, Lisa Bramhall. The tireless efforts of this organization provide our children with a safe place to receive academic assistance as well as meaningful mentoring in our community. In the present economic landscape, thousands of low-income families are faced with difficult choices on a daily basis—food, shelter, utility bills, and more often than you'd imagine, help on homework/academics does not make the list.. Affording these children the opportunity to receive free meals, homework help, and mentoring means immediate relief to not only the children, but also to their families. It also provides happiness and pride to children who struggle to remain hopeful and confident.

In my role as principal of Franklin Elementary, I see firsthand how children of families living in impoverished conditions struggle to have all that they need. They struggle to fit in, to succeed, and to gain acceptance from their peers. Children from low-income homes start each day at a disadvantage. The Staff and Board from Save Our Children work feverishly to help the children and families from the south side of Elyria; to give them the opportunities that may otherwise not be available to them in order to succeed in later life. They show them there are ways to improve both academically and professionally in order to break the poverty cycle.

As I unconditionally support Lisa Bramhall and Save Our Children, I ask that you also help support the programs proposed in order to give these students the opportunities they so deserve.

Sincerely,



Lisa Licht
Franklin Elementary, Principal