

January 22, 2019

Josh Arneson
Town of Richmond
PO Box 285
Richmond, VT 05477-0285

Dear Josh:

Thank you for your generous gift to COTS. On behalf of the families and individuals we serve, we are grateful for your support.

Established 1982

In our 35 years of service to our community, with your help COTS serves about 2,300 people (including more than 850 children) through shelter, outreach, prevention services, and transitional and permanent housing.

95 NORTH AVENUE

CANAL STREET VETERANS HOUSING

With the help of volunteers, we continue to serve a hot noontime meal every day of the year to single adults through our Daystation program. This is made possible by the incredible investment of our caring community – from businesses, organizations and people like you.

THE DAYSTATION

FIREHOUSE FAMILY SHELTER

HOUSING RESOURCE CENTER

About half of our annual operating budget comes *directly* from our amazing community support.

MAIN STREET FAMILY SHELTER

ST. JOHN'S HALL

By contributing to COTS, you hand a lifeline to families in need. Your donation ensures children experiencing homelessness have safe and decent shelter, as well as supportive enrichment like tutoring, early education, and health and wellness initiatives.

THE SMITH HOUSE

THE WAYSTATION

THE WILSON

Our goal, however, is to reach children and parents in financial crisis *before* they need shelter. Your donation also enables COTS to offer homelessness prevention and housing initiatives, and enact long-term solutions toward ending homelessness.

PO Box 1616

Burlington, Vermont 05402

Please let us know any questions you have. We love to share stories of how your gift changes someone's life for the better or data on trends and patterns.

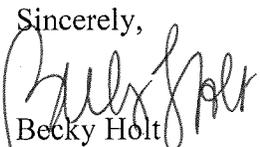
A COTS gift receipt is enclosed with this letter for your tax records. Please let me know if you need any additional information. We thank you again for your donation that makes shelter, support services, and innovative prevention solutions possible.

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Sincerely,


Becky Holt
COTS Development Director
(802) 864-7402, Ext. 204

*Thank you so much
for your wonderful
generosity! We
are truly grateful
for your support!
Deeply appreciative
for your help.*

P.S. Learn more about COTS at cotsonline.org.





Official Gift Receipt

Please retain for IRS purposes

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We are grateful for your support of the Committee on Temporary Shelter (COTS). Support from the community is vital in helping us assist families and individuals in need.

This receipt is the official acknowledgement of your gift and confirms that no goods or services were exchanged for this donation. COTS is a tax-exempt organization under section 501(c)(3) of the IRS codes. Our federal tax identification number is 03-0285606.

On behalf of those who will benefit from your generosity, please accept our deepest thanks.

Becky Holt
Director of Development

Gift Amount: \$1,000.00

Date of Gift: 1/8/2019

Fund: General/Unrestricted

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this receipt. If errors were made, we sincerely apologize. Please notify me in either of the following ways:

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