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Dear Friends,

The Holiday Season is upon us and with it the anticipation of giving and receiving presents and sharing special moments with family and friends. We are blessed to have these precious times in our lives.

For some families in our community the Holidays are not so joyous because financial limitations make it impossible for them to buy gifts or purchase the necessities for a festival meal.

For 57 years the Christmas Holiday Bureau has helped hundreds of thousands of families. The money raised enables the Christmas Holiday Bureau to provide gift cards from Wal-Mart allowing the recipient to purchase gifts, food, clothing or other items for the Holiday Season.

We ask you to keep the true Meaning of the Holidays rich in our own neighborhoods by generously donating to the Christmas Holiday Bureau to help those in need in our community.

Thank you in advance for sharing your bounty with others. Please know that your donation will ensure a brighter and happier Holiday for many.

As Co-Chairpersons this year's fundraising effort, we, along with the volunteers and staff of the Voluntary Action Center, wish you and your families continued good health and happiness during this wonderful Holiday Season.

Sincerely,

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Lackawanna County
Clerk of Judicial Records

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