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Dear Friends,

There is no scenario imaginable in which one person in this community should be hungry. Yet, every day, we meet more and more people who live with little to no food to eat. The number of children living without adequate food, who rely on free school lunch to have a daily meal, continues to rise but accessing food benefits offered through government resources is becoming more and more difficult. For these reasons and so many others, our community must work toward a solution to hunger. **We need your help.**

One simple way you can be part of the solution is by supporting the CROP Hunger Walk, a fundraiser and awareness event aimed at bringing this very serious issue to the forefront of our community. This year's three-mile walk will begin at 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21, with the route beginning at Andrews Park in Norman. The CROP Walk is a fun-filled community event, with live music, family entertainment and a post-walk cookout.

Funds from this charity walk benefit Food and Shelter locally and the global hunger-fighting efforts of Church World Service. In the past 10 years, the Cleveland County CROP Walk has raised more than \$190,000. This year, we have set our fundraising goal at \$20,000. We need sponsorships and team activity to make this happen. Will you join us either through a sponsorship, by forming a team or both? Sponsorships are quite affordable.

Cleveland County CROP Walk Sponsorships:

- \$ 200 gets your name and logo on our CROP Walk T-shirts, banner and publicity recognition.
- \$ 100 gets your business name on the CROP Walk T-shirts, banner and publicity recognition.

To become a CROP Walk sponsor, please mail your contribution and enclosed reply form to Cleveland County CROP Walk, PO Box 812, Norman, OK 73070. **Please respond by Friday, Aug. 10, to be included on the T-shirts and printed materials.**

You can also help by entering a team in the CROP Walk. It's easy and fun. To learn more, join us for our CROP Walk Team Leader's Orientation at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 9, at Food and Shelter, 201 Reed Ave., Norman, or contact one of us to sign up. We hope to see you at the Oct. 21 CROP Walk. It is truly a powerful experience to join over 500 of our friends and neighbors in the efforts to end hunger one step at a time.

Thank you so much for your consideration and support.

Sincerely,

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