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CHILDREN AND FAMILY COUNCIL FOR PREVENTION PROGRAMS

Children's Trust Fund Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

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Reverend Rebecca Clark
Trinity Methodist Church
137 Main St
Montpelier, VT 05602

Dear Reverend Clark,

I write on behalf of the Children and Family Council to offer Trinity Methodist the enclosed donation of $122 collected from members as a token of our thanks and respect for Dick Smith's work on this board. Dick is ending service on the 'Council' after well over 16 years as an active member and leader. Many involved with the Council can't quite grasp the notion of Dick not being at our meetings, even though he gave ample notice.

Dick has been a strong and dedicated leader of this advisory board. He has been vigilant, especially, towards the effort to advocate government policies and practices that recognize and nurture the transformative nature of young people, especially those in trouble.

CFCPP membership is well aware of Dick's deep commitment to Trinity. We know that Trinity community shares our admiration for Dick and his work and hope that you can apply this donation to a fitting use.

Sincerely,

Theresa Lay-Sleeper

c: Dick Smith