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To: The Ontario Trillium Foundation

From: Front Line Outreach

Re: Support for St. Jude's Church and the Capital grant application to Ontario Trillium Foundation for funding to renovate their kitchen.

Front Line Outreach is a charitable not for profit corporation that serves low-income families, seniors, youth, children and the homeless in the community by providing support through various programs such as food, clothing, community outreach BBQ's, day camp and youth drop ins.

We work collaboratively with various community agencies to provide these services and St Jude's has partnered with us for the past 10 years. Their financial and volunteer support has been instrumental in transforming the community within their parish in Oakville.

COVID has magnified the growing issue of food insecurity and long-term need. St Jude's is committed to providing for this need and has taken a pro-active approach by preparing and delivering meals to the most vulnerable. They have relied on access to other commercial kitchen facilities and the time has come to renovate their kitchen to bring it up to current building standards so these increasing needs can be met.

We strongly support their application to the Ontario Trillium Foundation.

Yours truly,

Ron Shantz
Co- Founder & CEO