

COMMUNITY CHILDREN'S CENTER, INC.

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Senator Bob Dole
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Senator Dole:

I am writing in support of the bills proposed by Senator McGovern and Representative Perkins extending or making permanent the school breakfast, day care feeding, summer feeding and WIC programs.

The nutrition program in the Head Start program has been most valuable. Not only does it provide adequate nutrition to pre-schoolers, but it also educates the mothers in the nutritional needs of their child and how to provide them on a low-income budget.

The added help our program gets from the school lunch program makes the difference between providing an adequate nutritional program and not providing one.

Kansas is one of the few states that no longer receives commodities. This has caused our program real financial problems because we've had to purchase the flour, peanut butter, beans, butter and other commodities from our budget and we received no extra funds to do this. I'd like to see the commodity program reinstated in Kansas.

Thank you for any support you can give either of these programs.

Sincerely,

Charline Freitag

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Director

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