

The President

The White House

1600 Pennsylvania Avenue NW

Washington, DC 20500

“Let justice surge like water and goodness like an unfailing stream.” Amos 5:24

Dear Mr. President,

Hello, my name is Lauren Miceli and I am a freshman at the Academy of Holy Angles in New Jersey. In my religion class I am learning about the prophet Amos and how he spoke truth to power about injustice towards the needy. My father is the chairman of Family Intervention Services (FIS). They provide support to families in need through therapeutic counseling, case management, providing crisis intervention, and providing education as well. Their mission is to “promote the positive growth, development, and well-being of children, families, and communities.” This is a great local organization that helps over 3600 children and families a year. FIS has many great aspects, events, and programs that it should become a national organization for the whole country to benefit from it. If you or your staff would like to learn more information about FIS, their website is www.fisnj.org. I am sure that the President/CEO, Jeane Warnock, would be more than happy to provide additional information. One of their events that should become a national campaign is their Thanksgiving Day Food Drive. Before I became involved with this, I assumed that everyone had enough food and basic essentials for a Thanksgiving dinner. But as I started looking through all the requests I realized how lucky I am. I remember this one family that I recalled; it was a family of four; a mother, a five year old, and two young babies. I thought to myself, wow, this family really needs my help. I felt like even I could make a difference. The reason that I think that it can be a national association is that many families live in poverty and with the help of FIS, we can eliminate poverty one family or individual at a time. Thank you for reading my message.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lauren Miceli". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned centrally below the word "Sincerely,".

Lauren Miceli