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I am writing on behalf of the City Heights Rotaract Club. City Heights Rotaract is a community organization of young professionals, who have grown up in or have a special connection to the community. Over the past five years, City Heights Rotaract has aimed to serve City Heights by addressing its physical and social needs, while promoting better relations between all people through a framework of friendship and service.

As you may already know, City Heights is a predominantly immigrant community. Our members themselves have a special connection to this population; their grandparents or parents are immigrants themselves. Their family members have experienced arriving in a new country, where they do not speak the language, know anyone or simply do not have more than the clothes they are wearing and few essential items a small backpack may hold.

Currently, our community, city and world are experiencing a pandemic unlike ever before. The migrant population is especially vulnerable at this time. The services provided by the Jewish Family Service Migrant Family Shelter are valuable and necessary in our present day circumstances. When we think of all the people you have helped already, and think of the vast number of people still in need, we feel strongly compelled to help support your good cause.

On behalf of the City Heights Rotaract Club I am honored to extend a donation in the amount of \$500, to be matched by Jewish Family Services, for a total of \$1,000. We hope that in this time of uncertainty, JFS may continue to provide much needed services to migrant individuals and families.

Again, thank you for all that you do!

Yours in Service,

Stephanie Perez President, 2019-2020