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Dear Friend

We Are HOPE, Inc. has successfully served the employment needs of our community for over 40 years and has operated the Job Center since 1995.

Although the unemployment rate in Wisconsin is low, We Are HOPE, Inc., serves an average of 360 people a month that walk through our door for employment and career services. On June 13, 2019, the Bay Area Workforce Development Board Executive Committee voted to reduce or eliminate funding for reception/resource room and Case Management services at a number of Job Centers in northeast Wisconsin, including eliminating reception/resource room funding to Door County. We Are HOPE, Inc. received \$45,163 in funding from the Bay Area Workforce Development Board in the 2018-2019 funding year to operate the Door County Job Center.

The Board and staff are committed to continuing the much needed employment services that the Job Center currently provides, such as free use of computers and printers, staff support on the computers and with employment needs and questions. In addition we guide individuals through the complex process of unemployment, maintain job boards, conduct skill building classes, and bi-annual job fairs. We Are HOPE, Inc. wants to continue to provide this invaluable service to the community and we won't be able to do it without your help.

Our critical mid-year appeal has been launched with generous donations of over \$11,386 from our Board of Directors and staff. We ask that you consider joining in making a donation that will assist in allowing us to continue to provide the level of services necessary to meet the needs of our community.

Please help us fulfill our mission to connect employers and job seekers in achieving mutual employment success. Our entire board and staff thank you in advance for any assistance you can provide at this critical time.

As a satisfied Door County consumer said, "The workforce in Door County is dependent upon the availability of We Are HOPE as a lifeline which ensures the prospect of employment for many of our residents."

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jackie Mathein".

Jackie Mathein
Board President
We Are HOPE, Inc. Board of Directors

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kim Carley".

Kim Carley
Executive Director
We Are HOPE, Inc.



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_____ Enclosed is my check in the amount of \$_____ Please make checks payable to We Are HOPE, Inc.

_____ Please charge my _____ Visa _____ MasterCard _____ Discover Amount: \$_____

Name on Card: _____ Card # _____ Code: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Signature: _____

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City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

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Please visit our website to explore what we do and the other ways you can support We Are HOPE, Inc.