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Chief Paul Orok Basse-Duke
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Dear Chief Basse-Duke,

Months after Superstorm Sandy brought historic devastation to millions of people along the East Coast, the Red Cross remains on the ground in affected areas in New York, working one-on-one with families and individuals in need of long-term assistance. Thanks to the generosity of our donors, we can link people with the resources they need to rebuild in the months following the storm.

The EFIK National Association USA Inc's generous gift of \$500 on March 20, 2013 to 2012 Hurricanes and Other Related Storms aided people affected by tropical activity in New York, helping the Red Cross prepare for and respond to the storms, and provide services such as food, shelter and emotional support to those affected across the state. On those rare occasions when donations exceed American Red Cross expenses for a specific disaster, contributions are used to prepare for and serve victims of other disasters.

As recovery operations continue along the East coast, Red Cross caseworkers are assisting residents with housing-related needs such as repairs, rent, utility deposits, as well as connecting them with social service programs and offering emotional support. The Red Cross continues to work alongside government and nonprofit partners to ensure community needs are met. We are giving grants to support local New York food banks, provide financial counseling through Operation Hope and fund a mold remediation program to help New Yorkers clean up their homes.

The fallout from Sandy continues to affect daily life for many residents searching for a way forward. Thank you for your generosity, which helps us care for those still recovering in New York. To learn more about your gift at work, please visit redcross.org

Sincerely,

Mary Young
Chief Executive Officer

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