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To whom it may concern,

Camp Fire Northwest Ohio provides engaging, accessible programs and experiences that empower all young people to discover their purpose and positively impact their homes, schools, workplaces and communities

Camp Fire is seeking additional funds to send Townhomes Club members to a week of day camp at Camp Glen. The Townhomes program is a weekly mega club program for all Townhomes residents grades K-6 held at the Townhomes housing complex. In these meetings, youth learn about being self-reliant, social skills such as inclusiveness and empathy, emotional competence, conflict resolution, life skills, confidence and sense of purpose through activities, games and crafts. We would like to extend the skills that the club members are practicing into the summer time by offering to them a week of day camp at Camp Glen in Tiffin. Each year many children want to go to camp who can really benefit from the experience but are not able to because of family finances. These children are often the ones who would benefit most because of the positive adult role models and the leadership skills that we build into each week of camp.

Youth grades K-6th will have to the opportunity to discover and explore this summer during our traditional camp programs in both day and overnight sessions. At camp, all youth from different backgrounds develop important skills, such as self-reliance, effective communication, goal setting and problem solving, while interacting with natural surroundings and enjoying fun activities. Participants make their own decisions, have fun, and seek adventure!

This program will help "at risk" youth by providing them with safe, fun, and educational activities to participate in during the summer. They will make new friends and develop healthy relationships with adults and volunteers. All children will be exposed to a variety of activities and experiences that will help them learn more about their community and citizenship. Lastly, these programs will provide a safe environment for those kids that may not have adult supervision at home during the summer time.

We anticipate 10-12 from the Townhomes attending camp this year. Scholarships will be given to attend a week of camp. For every \$145.00 donated, a child will be awarded a week of summer camp. The total amount we are requesting is \$725.00

Townhomes club members will attend Day Camp session 2 June 17-21st 2019 if funding is received.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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