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Dear Friend of Wake Enterprises,

WE are STILL HERE.

WE are STILL STANDING.

WE are STILL MAKING AN IMPACT.

Your continued support of Wake Enterprises is important and invaluable, and I thank you for all you have done for Wake Enterprises (WE) and advocating for the needs of the people we serve. Our goal has always been to ensure people with disabilities are independent as possible and are a part of their communities, however they choose.

Our mission is to provide meaningful and innovative experiences to enhance the lives of the people we serve. Life is more than work, so WE do more than work. **We Build Lives. We Empower. We Help Businesses.** Our purpose is to create opportunities for a lifetime of success and provide support to enable participants to maximize their chances of success and independence.

The work WE do is designed to build up and empower the amazing people we serve, and the people you care about. WE create opportunities for them to experience full, productive lives through vocational training, inspirational art, meaningful work and social engagement. **But the impact WE make is only possible through the generous support of people like you.**

WE work to ensure people with disabilities have a chance to grow, succeed, and have the same opportunities as their peers and given chances to develop their own interests and to experience success. **That's what you make possible when you invest in WE!** Because you give...

WE CREATE!

*opportunity,
skills,
confidence*

WE LIVE!

*with dignity,
with purpose, in
relationship*

WE GROW!

*abilities,
impact,
together*

WE WORK!

*encourages,
educates,
increases
independence*

As we close out 2022, the demand for our services continues to grow. Participant referrals have increased over the past 2 years. Wake Enterprises needs to be there with the people, the programs, and resources to help those we care about create, live, grow, and work into the people they have the potential to be. You can help us increase our capacity to serve more individuals with disabilities. **This holiday season, we're inviting you to help us raise \$12,000 to enable us to:**

- ▶ **Continue to build our WE Without Walls program**, which includes our Wake E-Live! remote learning and WE GO interactive outreach with activities focused on healthy, social, sustainable, and fun activities that equip participants and promote disability inclusion.
 - For just \$80 per day, or \$400 per week, you can provide one more student with our Wake E-Live remote learning program.
- ▶ **Increase our popular WE Create! arts program** that fosters creativity, artistic expression, and self confidence in the adults with disabilities we serve. WE Create offers participants increased knowledge of artistic discipline and successful application of skills; increased motivation, engagement, sense of pride; and improved interpersonal communication and socialization skills.
 - For \$150 you can make it possible for one more student to participate in our WE Create! arts program for one full year.
- ▶ **Grow our WE Work program**, which offers pre-vocational training, opportunities for supported employment and assistance with improving self-help, socialization, and adaptive skills. Our participants experience the dignity of work, risk-taking and personal responsibility.
 - For \$750, you can invest in a week of vocational training for one more student.

Together **WE can and will Create, Live, Grow, and Work** with the amazing adults with disabilities who we serve each day. But that impact is only possible with your generous financial support. With an investment of \$12,000, we can serve even more individuals, equipping them to experience a full life of dignity, risk, success, and opportunity. Will you help us get there?

Give today to offer that same opportunity to Create, Live, Grow, and Work and make a long-lasting impact.

Thank you,



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Executive Director, Wake Enterprises

