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Dear Mr Gibbs

Re: **Grant Aid for Victim Support**

Victim Support is the national charity for victims, witnesses and anyone affected by crime. We are writing to ask for your support in helping us to reach as many people as possible and enhance the services we have available.

Victim Support delivers a range of free, independent and confidential services in Hampshire and the Isle of Wight and in 2022/23 we supported over 5,606 victims of crime or anti-social behaviour.

Over the last 12 months we have worked hard to develop a service model framework which encompasses 5 key areas of support. These include safety, inform, validate, reflect and connect. Our teams work across the Hampshire and Isle of Wight area visiting people in their homes and communities as well as providing support virtually or via the telephone. By employing local people, who work within their communities we are able to be aware of local need.

The area we are asking for your support in this year is safety and reflection. Over the next year we would like to continue to provide low cost security items to people who have been affected by crime. This can include door alarms, window alarms and personal alarms or decoy CCTV cameras. For reflection we ask for your help in providing a donation to help us to provide printed copies of some of our resources including activities for children and young people to encourage them to talk about their experiences.

If you would like further information about our organisation or if you would like us to provide you with more information about the services we provided in your area last year, please do not hesitate to contact us. We hope you are able to support us with our request for a grant contribution on this occasion and very much look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

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