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**HARVEST  
PROJECT**

*Extending a hand up,  
not a hand out*

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July 28, 2009

Mayor Pamela Goldsmith-Jones & Council Members  
District of West Vancouver  
750 17<sup>th</sup> St  
West Vancouver, BC V7V 3T3

Dear Mayor Goldsmith-Jones & Council Members:

I write to express my gratitude for the recent municipal community grant the District of West Vancouver issued in the amount of \$2,500.00 to support the work of the Harvest Project. The District of West Vancouver's support of our work and mission is very much appreciated, especially at this time of year when we traditionally find our resources depleted, but still experience high demand for our programs and services.

Our mission at the Harvest Project is to assist people in transition with short-term emotional, physical, mental and spiritual support as they work to become self-sufficient again. This transitional period may be the result of life-altering events such as job loss, divorce, illness, injury, death in the family, or other circumstances that loom suddenly. Partners like the District of West Vancouver, make it possible for us to continue providing these much-needed support services to our community. On behalf of all of us here at the Harvest Project, thank you for your generosity in extending a hand up to those in need on the North Shore.

Sincerely,

Terry Byrnes  
Executive Director  
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