



August 23, 2018

Sisters of the Most Precious Blood, O'Fallon
204 North Main
O'Fallon, MO 63366

Dear Sisters,

Thank you so much for your generous donation in the amount of \$500.00 (check #13102) on August 10, 2018, for the DACA Renewal Fund: Round Two. We are so grateful for your support!

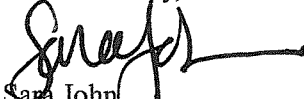
As you know, the Trump Administration announced the termination of the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program on September 5, 2017. Since then, several lawsuits were filed against the administration for terminating the DACA program unlawfully. Two nationwide injunctions in California and New York have allowed renewals to continue but no new applicants are able to access the program. With a decision from a judge in the matter of Texas v. Nielsen still pending, the future of DACA remains uncertain. Many expect his decision to effectively end the program permanently. For this reason, we partnered with several community agencies to ensure that anyone eligible to renew was able to do so without extreme financial hardship.

It was with your generous donation that we were able to raise over \$10,000 in one week for local DACA renewals! Because of your contribution, we have been able to fully fund all financial assistance requests we received for DACA renewal applications. Any remaining funds will be saved for use in defending immigrant rights at future opportunities, such as an immigration bond fund and raid response and defense efforts in this region, as our collaborative efforts deem most appropriate. More than 20 individuals attended the DACA renewal clinic on August 5, and more than 30 individuals from the St. Louis region received support from the fund so far.

The effort really requires a village, and we are so fortunate to have such incredible individuals and agencies in our community to make it possible. In particular, we'd like to thank the Migrant and Immigrant Community Action (MICA) Project, the Scholarship Foundation, Missouri Immigrant and Refugee Advocates (MIRA), St. Francis Community Services Catholic Legal Assistance Ministry Immigration Law Project, Latinos en Acción, Cosecha Missouri and MOdreamers. We are all so grateful to you for your support and your contribution. We hope you will continue to fight for immigrant rights with us by connecting on Facebook for details about upcoming events and opportunities to stay involved.

Thank you again for your support.

Most sincerely,


Sara John
Executive Director

*Thank you
so much,
Hermanas!*

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