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Amy Youngquist, Chief Executive Officer

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Canton Library Patrons
c/o Laurie Golden
1200 S. Canton Center
Canton, MI 48188

Dear Canton Library Friends,

Thank you for helping someone take the First Step toward freedom away from violence. We are grateful for your generous donation of arts and crafts, 3 gift cards totaling \$80.00 and \$5.00 cash that we received on May 19, 2016. Your donation helps First Step achieve its mission to eliminate domestic and sexual violence and to provide comprehensive services for individuals and families impacted by these crimes.

Anyone who calls to take their First Step away from domestic or sexual violence has free access to First Step's emergency response, counseling and comprehensive support services. First Step serves survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault including survivors of elder abuse and child abuse. First Step also provides outreach in schools, businesses and community organizations. First Step served almost 7,000 survivors, including over 500 children, in 2015 and provided education and outreach to over 4,000 community members last year.

We would love for you to learn more about your contribution's impact. Our annual report and latest newsletter are at www.firststep-mi.org and [facebook/firststepmi](https://facebook.com/firststepmi). We also invite you to contact Theresa Bizoe, Associate Director, at tbizoe@firststep-mi.org or 734-656-0730 with any questions you have or to arrange a tour of First Step's Karen Wilson Smithbauer Center.

Together we are creating peaceful families and safe communities.

Sincerely,

Amy Youngquist
Chief Executive Officer

Please call our 24-hour emergency hotline at 1-888-453-5900 or 734-722-6800 if anyone you know needs help with issues related to domestic violence or sexual assault.

First Step is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. No goods or services were provided by First Step in return for the contribution.

Your donation is tax-deductible to the extent allowable by law; please consult your tax professional for any tax deduction questions.

Working to End Domestic & Sexual Violence in Wayne County

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