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To: [City Council](#)
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Subject: Increasing funding for human services
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Dear Shoreline City Council Members,

I would like to add my voice to many others urging you to increase funding to human services in Shoreline.

As the Homeless Education Liaison for the Shoreline School District, I have witnessed an enormous increase in the number of homeless families, children and youth in our area. The need for shelter, mental health services, nutrition support, drug and alcohol counseling and many other basic needs has expanded in recent years without the rise in corresponding services to meet these needs. I do not see this upward tick in need decreasing in the future.

Please increase funding for human services in Shoreline. Our community is in great need.

Thank you,
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Your ordinary acts of love and hope point to the extraordinary promise that every human life is of inestimable value.

~Desmond Tutu