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**To whom it may concern,**

Challenge 2000 Trust would like to acknowledge and thank the response of Kiwi Community Assistance to us particularly during the lockdown period for Covid-10 pandemic. We were designated an essential service due to the work we do with at risk young people so remained open during this time. We quickly noticed the need for the distribution of food to families given that many of the food banks had closed.

We responded by increasing the size of our small distribution of food parcels to become a rather large distributor of food the families in need. We could not have done this without the support of Kiwi Community Assistance who have continued to support us on an on-going basis. The volume of food provided has continued to increase for which we are very grateful because young people and their families have food to eat that they would not otherwise have.

We are aware that KCA is essentially run by volunteers and we wish to thank them for the work that they do to keep the fresh food we receive moving quickly to our families. "It takes a village to raise a child" is a famous statement that we convert to "It takes a community to look after the most vulnerable in our society." KCA provides an essential service in our community and we look forward to a long relationship with them in these uncertain post Covid-19 times.

Yours sincerely,

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