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Subject SEFA Campaign

Stony Brook University is one of Long Island's most important institutions and its single largest workplace. We, our families, our friends, our neighbors are the Long Island community, in all its rich diversity. Once again, I call upon you all to express our care for this community wholeheartedly and generously.

The Stony Brook Cares/SEFA campaign provides us a simple way to support hundreds of effective and reliable organizations. Each of them intervenes in our lives when we encounter illness, want, and sorrow, or reach out for help: among them are our own Child Care Center and Hospital Auxiliary.

In recent years, we have seen a wonderful increase in our giving. This year the demands are no less pressing. There are new children to care for, families who need shelter, people who are lost, lonely, or hurt. When you give to Stony Brook Cares you affirm the dignity and worth of every person. Can you afford not to?

From now until the end of the year, Stony Brook Cares is once more seeking your support. You will receive a SEFA booklet in the next few weeks that lists the agencies that participate: Select the one you would most like to support, or give an undesignated gift?every donation will go to an excellent cause. Ensure that you make your choice, sign the form, and return it. The process couldn't be easier: You may pay with check, cash, credit card, securities donation, or payroll deduction.

Our community is what we make it; when it is healthy and happy we all benefit. Join us in pledging your support and show just how much Stony Brook cares.