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Daniel Bucheli, Office of the Mayor City of Annapolis 160 Duke of Gloucester Street Annapolis, Maryland 21401

Dear Mr. Bucheli:

The Honoree Committee is submitting the Eastport United Methodist Church to receive the Martha Wood Leadership Award for February, 2015. The Church was selected based upon many years of valuable service to the residents of the Housing Authority of the City of Annapolis and the Community at large.

The Eastport United Methodist Church partners with other community leaders to hold a major Thanksgiving Dinner for surrounding neighborhoods on the Monday before Thanksgiving each year. They also are members of a Partnership that holds a "Family Night" Dinner for Housing Authority residents at the Rosalie E. Mitchell Community Center every fourth Thursday of the month. In addition, the Church provides space on its Property for another Community Partner to offer a weekly Arts Program for the children of the Harbour House/Eastport Terrace After School Homework Club. The Eastport United Methodist Church further assists the Community with the provision of Food Cards for Housing Authority residents in need and has provided turkeys and groceries for needy families during the Holiday Season.

For valuable service to the residents of the Housing Authority of the City of Annapolis and the Annapolis Community, it is with pleasure that the Honoree Committee has selected the Eastport United Methodist Church as the fiftieth recipient of the prestigious Martha Wood Leadership Award.

Sincerely,

The Honoree Committee

