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Dear Friends:

Thank you for your company's recent discount of \$350 on services rendered to The Salvation Army. We value your support of our efforts to serve the Twin Cities community—particularly during times like these, when requests for our emergency services have surged 29% and food shelf use has spiked nearly 150%.

Fortunately, during these challenging economic times, the men, women, and children experiencing personal crises are not alone. Because of the generosity and support of partners like you, poverty-level and low-income individuals and families are receiving the basic needs, counseling, disaster relief, housing, rehabilitation, and youth services they need.

Every year, because of friends like you, The Salvation Army is able to provide critical aid to more than 200,000 people in the 10-county metro area. In one 24-hour period, we provide more than:

- 850 nights of shelter to the homeless
- 2,100 emergency meals to the hungry
- 80 visits to people bound to their homes
- 240 forms of social service assistance to individuals in need

Your support helps provide a safety net for the individuals and families who find themselves one pay-check away from hunger in challenging times. On behalf of these men, women, and children, *thank you.*

Sincerely,

Major Darryl L. Leedom  
Twin Cities Commander  
The Salvation Army Northern Division

Please retain this letter for your tax purposes. Internal Revenue Service regulations require us to state that The Salvation Army did not provide any goods or services to you in consideration of your contribution. Please also note that The Salvation Army does not sell, rent, or share our mailing list with any organizations or individuals.

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