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Dear Ms. Manahan,

On behalf of Plaid House, Inc. I would like to thank you for the Spring Brook Country Club Foundation's generous donation. Your gift of \$3000 to purchase new furniture for our Thenen House program is very much appreciated. The living room is the main room of this small house where girls come together every evening to socialize. Unfortunately the furniture is old and in poor repair. Though we have wanted to replace it for some time there has always been urgent repairs that have taken precedence. This year we had to spend money on new heating and air conditioning to replace a unit that was over forty years old and unreliable.

The girls in this program are there because they have no suitable family resource and must prepare themselves for independence. Most of them have been under the care of the State for several years and this will be their last placement before living on their own. Many take advantage of this opportunity to stay as long as they can to learn the skills they need, further their education and save for their future.

The support of donors like you has been so important to our work with the hundreds of girls who have entered our programs throughout the years. The success of our work rests on our ability to provide them with a first class environment in which to live in addition to quality clinical treatment. We could not continue to do this without such generous support.

Thank you for your commitment to providing quality services to our young people.

Sincerely,

Neville Newton  
Executive Director