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WORCESTER COUNTY GOLD, Inc.

Giving Other Lives Dignity

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Dear GOLD Supporter,

Spring seems to be coming early this year, and it is not too soon to begin preparing for the annual Spring Basket Project! Over 200 children in need will be referred to GOLD's program to receive a basket filled with springtime treats. We hope that you plan to sponsor one or more children and will brighten the season for our Worcester County children.

- If you are willing to be a sponsor, call GOLD at 410-677-6830, or email worcestercountygold@gmail.com (please note that the email address has changed for this project), or complete the electronic sponsor form on our website, www.worcestergold.org, to be matched with a child. Monetary donations to support the program are also needed and appreciated!
- Please drop off baskets at the GOLD office, or at Fowler Insurance at 11042 Nicholas Lane in Ocean Pines during their business hours (M-F, 9am to 5pm) by **Friday, March 30, 2017**. **Fowler Insurance prefers that their office not be called ahead of time.**
- We have far more children on the list than we have sponsors, so if you have the resources, please consider creating modest baskets for more children, rather than fewer, more elaborate baskets. Our goal this year is for every child to have a sponsor!
- Suggestions for filling the baskets include individually wrapped candy and healthy snacks, toothbrush and toothpaste, coloring book & crayons, stickers, barrettes, comb and brush, small toys, socks, lotion, shampoo or other hygiene items, notepads, pens and pencils. We ask that you do not include cash, since it is not always used in the best interest of the child. Baskets should be securely wrapped in cellophane or a clear plastic bag.

Thank you for supporting Worcester County GOLD's programs! Your help makes a big difference in the lives of your neighbors in need.

Sincerely,

Carol L. Jacobs, President
Worcester GOLD's Board of Directors

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