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The McGregor Foundation’s mission of Supporting Seniors In Need and Those Who Serve Them is rooted in the delivery of care in our residential campuses and PACE centers and the work of our grantees, touching the lives of tens of thousands of vulnerable seniors in Cuyahoga County on a daily basis. We are grateful to you and your colleagues for stepping up in this time of uncertainty to meet the tremendous and every-changing needs of older adults in our community through direct service, outreach programming, and advocacy.

To that end, we offer you, our partners, flexibility and encourage you to utilize your existing McGregor Foundation grant award to support whatever operating budget items you deem most appropriate within your senior-serving program, whether reallocating funding for personnel or revised outreach and distribution efforts.

For now, existing timely reporting requirements will remain in effect, but we see this as an opportunity to learn from your creativity and call to action and will allow you to report on your revised activities should you reallocate funds. In times like this, general operating dollars oftentimes prove the most essential to an organization’s stability. Or, you may request a reporting extension to allow you to realize your original objectives.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to Susan Althans, 216-268-8550, or susan.althans@mcgregoramasa.org, should you have questions or wish to advise of a change in usage.

Again, The McGregor Foundation values your important role in the landscape of organizations that tend to the health and well-being of seniors in Cuyahoga County.

Regards,

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Chair, The McGregor Foundation Distribution Committee

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