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YOU can make a difference in a child's life!! I am asking you to join me in supporting Central Georgia CASA (Court Appointed Special Advocates). I serve on the board of directors and we exist to provide a voice for children impacted by child abuse and neglect.

Children in foster care come before the juvenile court because of the acts of their parents or care givers. Please don't let them get lost in the system: give them someone to speak up for them and represent their individual needs. We have a proven approach and our challenge is to ensure that every child in foster care has a CASA. I hope you will become a "Friend of CASA" and make a difference in these children's lives.

Our CASA volunteers work hard to ensure that these children receive the educational, medical, dental, and therapeutic services they need. Volunteers are also instrumental in ensuring that the children are placed in a permanent, safe, and loving home as soon as possible.

Your financial contribution is a sound investment in our small CASA staff which screens, trains, and supports our 30 CASA volunteers who provide a strong voice in court for children in need. To provide one child a CASA for one year requires \$1200 (or \$100 per month). 100% of your donation goes to support child advocacy. Last year we represented 91 foster children in our area. We are proud of this, and with your help we can continue to increase that number so that every abused and neglected child has a CASA volunteer.

I hope you will join me in helping the abused and neglected children of Central Georgia by becoming a Friend of CASA with a gift or ongoing financial pledge. We are committed to financial accountability and seek sustainable funding to enable us to serve children long-term. Please act now! I have enclosed a brochure – please review it and share it with your friends.

In addition to making a financial contribution in response to this letter, you can support the work of Central Georgia CASA by participating in our annual spring golf tournament, by contributing as a part of Georgia Gives Day, or by becoming a CASA Volunteer.

On behalf of the children we serve, thank you for your support. Please let me know if I can provide additional information or answer questions. You can find more information about Central Georgia CASA by visiting our website at [www.cgcasa.org](http://www.cgcasa.org).

Sincerely,

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