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Dear Supporter of Child Care Counts,

We are excited to announce our sixth annual Big Hearts = Great Starts fundraiser benefitting Child Care Counts' child care scholarship program, to be held on Wednesday, November 2 this year. For over six years we have been supporting parents in Washington DC and the surrounding suburbs by helping them afford safe, reliable and nurturing child care while they work and/or attend college. We are a hand up to those who are working hard to provide a stable family environment for their families.

Over the years, most of our funding has come from individual donors, so fundraisers like this one are **crucial** to our being able to honor our commitments to current families and also to be able to help additional families referred to us by area partners.

We hope you will consider a sponsorship or a donation for our silent auction, this year. Items such as gift certificates, useful household items, tickets to concerts/plays/sporting events and one-of-a-kind experiences are all great auction donations. Sponsorship levels are described in a separate brochure.

Each year, I am more and more certain that the work we do at Child Care Counts makes a huge difference in the lives of those we serve. The ability to be able to afford great child care, along with the ongoing financial planning that we provide, together, help parents build long-term prosperity and set their children up for success.

With Sincere Thanks,

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