

May 24, 2018

Mr. John T. Bottomley Executive Director The Fuller Foundation, Inc. P.O. Box 479 Rye Beach, NH 03871

Re: Grant Report

Dear Mr. Bottomley:

In June of 2017, The Home for Little Wanderers was once again fortunate to have been the recipient of a \$4,000 grant from the Fuller Foundation for use in our career development program at Longview Farm in Walpole, MA. Following is our required report with respect to the funded program and use of grant funds.

During the first 8 months of the grant year, we spent the entirety of the grant in support of the career development program, per our grant proposal.

In February of 2018 – 8 months into the grant year and less than 2 months after we sent our last grant report – executive management at The Home made the difficult decision to temporarily suspend operations at Longview Farm. The decision was made in order to give The Home the opportunity to reevaluate and re-design the program and make necessary changes to the physical plant of the campus so that the program was in a better position to meet the needs of the vulnerable children whom we serve there. Over the past several months, we have made significant progress towards that end, and we aim to re-open the campus this summer, pending regulatory approval. Planning for the therapeutic ropes course at Longview Farm, for which we submitted a grant proposal to the Fuller Foundation in January of this year, has continued, and our aim is that it be ready for use by the children as soon as possible after reopening of the campus.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 617-927-0673 or hnovick@thehome.org.

Sincerely,

Howard Novick

Associate Director for Foundation Relations

