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"February is stacking up to be snowiest on record for Billings"¹

The past few weeks have been bitter cold. On these cold winter mornings, I can't help but think about struggling individuals, seniors on a limited income and families with small children. I see them every morning in line outside Family Service – even in the bitter cold. They try to smile through the cold as they greet you, but you know they are desperate and need help.

Some have been laid off due to the cold weather; others live on a very limited income and must choose between paying the electric bill and eating. But, they all have one thing in common – *they are in need of a hand up.*

With your help, we can be part of a solution.

Your donation today will help families keep a roof over their heads and the heat and lights on – especially during these cold winter months. And together, we can make sure anyone in need of food gets it.

A helping hand when times are tough is all most people need. Your generous gift will help families through the rough spots.

Truthfully, we can't do it without you! **We, and those we serve, sincerely appreciate your generosity.**

Thank you so much for caring.

Stacy Brown
Executive Director

Jami Funyak
Director of Development

P.S. **"This is the snowiest start to winter in Billings in 40 years – and it's colder than normal"**¹ Last month we helped 46 families with rent and utility assistance. People like you are helping families and seniors stay warm and dry this winter. Will you donate today?

¹ The Billings Gazette

I want to make a difference. Here is my gift of...

- \$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 Other \$ _____

Method of Payment:

- My Check in Enclosed**
Please make checks payable to Family Service
- Credit Card:**
Card No. _____
Exp. Date _____ CVC _____
Signature _____

Easy Online Giving @ www.billingsfamilyservice.org/donate
Please consider a monthly or quarterly donation.

One in six families in Yellowstone County Struggles with poverty.

Family Service helps these individuals meet their basic needs. In partnership with generous community partners, we offer the following services:

- Food
- Rent & Utilities
- Clothing
- Education
- Thrift Shop



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Thank you!