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Gerry,

I don't have Tony's email, can you forward the following to him for me?

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Tony,

Thanks for the great meeting yesterday. I have two thoughts from yesterday's meeting. First, relating to the funds given by Duke Energy, The current endowment will not afford to do many annual home renovations. However, if local churches, businesses, and organizations can match the funds, twice as much can be done. The annual 35K would be 70K. This may work better if the \$35k from the endowment were to be spent entirely on homes in a certain area/community. The result would be great PR and a potential for long range community involvement.

Second, keeping people in there homes longer is an agreed upon necessity. Therefore, can we get the SC Homebuilders Association to mandate all interior doors be 36 inches to accommodate wheel chairs and walkers? This is thinking forward.

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