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Dear Members of the Board of Directors and Angels,

I want to express my sincere gratitude for your contributions as both generous supporters and passionate advocates of the Medical Evaluation Response Initiative Team (MERIT) and for all you do to ensure the safety, health, and well-being of all children in our community.

Your generous gift to MERIT continues to benefit children in Northern Illinois who have been through unthinkable, traumatic situations. The impact of your gift is having a widespread impact, allowing MERIT to expand their medical team to better serve the children in our community and beyond. In addition, the new colposcope will allow MERIT to be more efficient and serve additional patients with the best care possible while using the most up to date technology. MERIT is staffed with passionate individuals with a true heart and a desire to create change for our region. Club Blue has been a perfect partner given your same level of commitment to helping the children of MERIT on their path to healing and recovery.

Club Blue's dedication to improving our community and passion for serving children in need continues to inspire all of us at the University of Illinois College of Medicine Rockford. We are honored to be a part of the Club Blue family and appreciate the opportunity to work together again this year. *Thank you!*

With gratitude,

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