

To: Cambridge City Council
From: The Southern Church Group

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Honorable Members of The Cambridge City Council,

We are a group of Cambridge Rindge and Latin High School students who are going to Greensboro, Florida over the April Vacation to work on one of the churches burned out in the past year in the South. While this is not a trip formally sponsored by CRLS, we are hoping to garner community support for this trip. The cost of the trip is \$300 per volunteer - \$100 for food and lodging, \$200 for transportation. We hope to be able to donate money from our fundraising efforts toward the reconstruction fund of one of the two churches we will be working on.

We are volunteering through a group called Christmas in April which organizes and operates youth work camps, and is working under the umbrella of the National Council of Churches and Habitat for Humanity. We are appealing to local businesses and churches, as well as personal contacts to support our trip. We think the value of the work we will be engaged in is self-explanatory, socially, educationally, and spiritually, and ask that you offer whatever support you can, either as The Cambridge City Council or as individuals. We hope to represent the city of Cambridge and not just ourselves in Florida this April.

Checks may be made out to:
St. Peter's Episcopal Church/SCF
and sent to:
c/o Sophronia Camp
St. Peter's Episcopal Church
PO Box 390390
Cambridge, MA 02139

In this way, your contribution will be tax deductible.

We would like to be put on the agenda for your March 24 meeting so that we may present this appeal to you.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours,


Max McMahon


Sophronia Camp

on behalf of The Southern Church Group

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McMahon and Sophronia Camp, CRLS
Students, requesting financial
support for a trip to Greensboro,
Florida to help work on a church that
was burnt down in the south.

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