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Truro, MA 02666
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The Mission Statement of the Dexter Keezer Community Fund is
"to assist Truro residents in need of temporary financial
assistance in a timely manner."

October 2018

The fund grew out of the vision of Dexter Keezer, a public-spirited Truro resident. In 1999, through the initiative of his daughter, the Dexter Keezer Community Fund first came about in an informal manner and in 2002, the fund became an independent 501c3 non-profit organization through the efforts of the Trustees at that time.

In keeping with the mission of the fund, the current Trustees have developed relationships with several local organizations, including the Homeless Prevention Council, Lower Cape Outreach, the Truro Council on Aging, Helping our Women, as well as local houses of worship and our schools. In this way we are able to reach out to those who may need assistance.

Because of the generosity of our many donors, we have been able to assist residents with rent and mortgage assistance, auto repairs, utilities, medical and dental expenses that are not covered by medical insurance. We generously assist many families and elderly residents during the holiday seasons and have been a major supporter of the Truro Food Pantry since our inception. In addition, we help to assist families with the cost of school programs as well as Truro recreation programs, which their children would otherwise be unable to attend due to the cost; and, last year, for the first time, we supported two local residents with the granting of two scholarships to assist them with their ongoing education.

The Trustees of the Dexter Keezer Community Fund are so very grateful for all the support that we have received from our many benefactors. All

donations, from the smallest to the largest, are essential in enabling us to continue in our mission "to assist Truro residents in need of temporary financial assistance in a timely manner."

Your donations may be mailed to: The Dexter Keezer Community Fund, P.O. Box 572, Truro, MA 02666 Or visit us at www.keezerfund.org to donate on-line.

From a grateful recipient:

"Thank you for your kind and gracious assistance. Your help is truly appreciated by everyone you assist in alleviating the overwhelming burdens we find ourselves weighed down by from time to time. It is amazing how different life feels when someone extends a helping hand - especially at this point in life. I am truly grateful, God Bless you all.

For those who may need assistance from the fund you may contact any of the following organizations:

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| Helping Our Women: | (508) 487-4357 |
| Homeless Prevention Council: | (508) 255-9667 |
| Lower Cape Outreach Council: | (508) 240-0694 |
| Outer Cape Health Services: | (508) 349-3141
X2107 |
| Truro Council on Aging: | (508) 487-2462 |
| Truro Recreation Dept: | (508) 487-1632 |
| Truro Central School: | (508) 487-1558 |
| Your House of Worship | |

Grants made October 2017- September 2018						
Food Pantry	Mortgage Rent Household	School Costs	Auto Exp	Utilities	Holiday Help	Medical Other
\$7,150	\$21,836	\$7,714	\$1,922	\$3,681	\$4,700	\$2,682

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