



## ROSIE'S PLACE

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Dear Ms. Barry,

On behalf of the guests, board and staff of Rosie's Place, thank you and everyone of the Women's Collaborative at Boston College for supporting our work with a Winter Essentials drive. We were thrilled to receive such an amazing donation of clothing for our guests! In these cold months, the days get darker and more difficult for the 12,000 poor and homeless women we serve each year. The temperature drops and the need for a hot meal, a warm coat, a place to sleep for the night and basic medical care only rises. That's why we are so grateful for your thoughtful generosity.

As we look to the year ahead, we know that we will be able to meet our guests' basic needs and more because of your kindness. By identifying housing solutions, offering job counseling, providing opportunities for education, and going out into the community to bring our array of services to the poor women unable to walk through our doors, we can help ensure a brighter, more stable tomorrow for our guests.

It's said we make a living by what we get, but we make a *life* by what we give. By supporting Rosie's Place and its guests, you are making a life that is larger by the moment. Thank you so much for caring about poor and homeless women.

With hope,

Sue Marsh  
Executive Director