

To members of the Appropriations Committee:

We are writing to support continued State funding, at the current level, for the critical organization Independence Unlimited.

Independence Unlimited has a track record of saving millions in taxpayer dollars while empowering some of Connecticut's most vulnerable citizens.

Funding cuts proposed in Governor Malloy's budget additionally jeopardizes critical Federal funding that Independence Unlimited presently receives and requires to keep its door open in service to the community.

Sincerely

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