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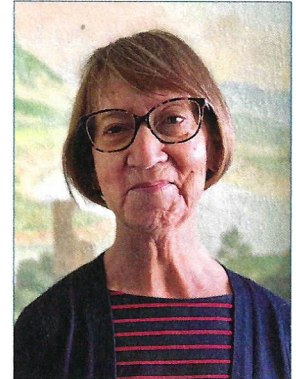
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Real generosity toward the future lies in giving all to the present. —Albert Camus

Dear Members and Friends,

Hamilton House thanks you for your past contributions to the **Annual Giving Appeal**. Your gifts of goodwill have supported essential maintenance of our historic home and the vibrant adult learning community that energizes mind, body, and spirit.

Six years ago, I moved to Rhode Island from Montana. I had retired from a job I loved for 38 years, became a widow after 47 years of marriage and had sold the home where we had raised our family. I found the meaning and purpose I desperately needed in the family-like atmosphere and lifelong learning opportunities at Hamilton House. It offered a home and a community where I could develop friendships and engage in lively social and educational opportunities in a beautiful historic building.



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The Annual Giving Appeal is essential in providing funding needed to meet the costs of maintaining our historic house and continuing the quality of the programs provided. The revenue from membership dues and grants makes up less than half of the revenue needed so a significant amount must be raised from the Annual Giving Appeal and donations.

Our 2023 goal is to raise \$30,000 by December 31st. Your donation will continue to support our mission "to inspire and enhance members' lives through interaction with ideas and friends in an adult learning center."

For over 50 years Hamilton House has continued to provide a special place of learning, sharing and friendship. Your gift is not just about donating but making a difference. By giving now you are investing in the future of Hamilton House.

Thank you for your generosity.

Sylvia Danforth
Board of Directors President

P.S. – Did you know that you can make a charitable contribution from your IRA AND save taxes? If you take the required minimum distribution (RMD) from your traditional IRA, you can avoid paying taxes on it by donating that money to Hamilton House. (see reverse for more information)