



# PROVINCIAL GRAND LODGE OF SOMERSET

25<sup>th</sup> August 2020

Dear Brother Secretaries and Charity Stewards

## Coronavirus Match Funding Support

I hope you and all the members of your Lodge are keeping safe and well and hope we will be back to our normal Masonic activities before too long.

I hope you all have had a chance to read the level of support given to those community needs as a result of this pandemic, you will recall that with your help and support we raised an astonishing £150,000, a massive thank you goes to all of you from those in the community who received this support.

We still have more to do and I write to you again asking for your support to help those who will be homeless over the coming weeks or those mothers and families who find it necessary to find refuge from family members.

We are planning a Lodge Match Funding initiative to support the following charitable activities:

- 1 Domestic Abuse Refuges
- 2 Homeless and family eviction

If you have supported charities who are engaged in these activities in your area, or you are considering supporting them, please let me know so we can apply for further funding on your behalf.

Please help those who are in real need as we move towards the winter period and I ask if you could let me know who you would like to support as soon as possible.

I wish all to keep safe and well and I look forward to seeing everyone again soon.

Yours sincerely and fraternally

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