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Dear MIC Partner,

Since 1982, the Marin County Interfaith Council has stood as a beacon of hope and unity, fostering meaningful connections among people of different faiths and backgrounds. We have strived to create a space where dialogue flourishes, bridges are built, and love transcends barriers. We have brought together people of faith and those who do not adhere to any religion around our shared values of peace, justice, equity, compassion and inclusion.

The landscape of our community and our world is evolving, presenting new challenges and opportunities that demand our collective attention. From hate speech/acts to addressing social injustices to supporting asylum seekers to meeting the spiritual needs of the unsheltered, MIC remains steadfast in its commitment to serving as a catalyst for positive change. Yet, in order to fulfill our mission effectively, we require the support and partnership of dedicated partners like you.

Your financial contribution, no matter the size, will directly impact our ability to sustain and expand our programs and initiatives. Your generosity will enable us to:

- Promote Interfaith Understanding: Through gatherings of Marin's religious leaders, monthly meditations, our "Get to Know Your Neighbors Faith: Ask Me Anything!" series, and our Prayer Breakfast, we facilitate meaningful conversations that promote understanding and respect.
- Mobilize for the Common Good: From our initiatives to address the climate crisis to our networks of congregations that support immigrant families to our collaboration with the Marin City Ministerial Alliance, the Marin Organizing Committee and numerous other community partners, we seek to promote a community of thriving and justice for all.
- Address Hate Speech/Acts: MIC is a voice for peace, diversity, and inclusion, advocating for vulnerable persons and community. With our Bay Area Interfaith partners, we promote a message that "We All Belong". (www.bayareainterfaith.org)

Your support is not just a financial contribution; it is an investment in the values that unite us as members of the human family. It is a testament to our shared belief in a world where love, compassion, and understanding prevail. Support from you - our colleagues in the faith and nonprofit community - sustains our work and affirms your commitment to MIC's mission and vision. To make a gift, please complete the enclosed contribution form and return it by **April 1, 2024.** You can also donate online at <u>www.marinifc.org/donate</u>.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership as we journey together toward a more just, inclusive, and compassionate world

With gratitude and blessings,

Rev. Scott Quinn Executive Director Nancy Roybal President, Board of Directors

MARIN INTERFAITH COUNCIL ANNUAL BUDGET July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024

INCOME		
Grant Income	\$118,800	55.8%
Program/Events	\$37,670	17.7%
Partner Congregation Donations	\$15,000	7.0%
Nonprofit Donations	\$1,500	0.7%
Individual Donations	\$40,000	18.8%
Total Income	\$212,970	100%
<u>EXPENSES</u>		
Operations	\$25,390	11.9%
Personnel	\$177,155	83.2%
Program/Events/Reserves	\$10,300	4.9%
Total Expenses	\$212,845	100%