**Dear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,**

**Join me in the fight to raise funds and awareness of Sickle Cell Disease**

**This year I'm participating in the Massachusetts Sickle Cell Association Walk/Run for Sickle Cell Disease on Sunday, October 8, 2023 in Franklin Park (Shattuck Picnic Area), 1 Circuit Drive, Boston, MA 02121.**

**Funds from the Walk supports:**

* **Emergency Grant for food insecurity and housing instability**
* **Public awareness education program**
* **Advocacy for individuals living with SCD**
* **Support group meetings**
* **Annual holiday party for children living with sickle Cell Disease**

**The 2023 Walk for Sickle Cell will take on a Hybrid model consisting of:**

* **10:00am to 1:00pm: in-person outdoor event**
* **10:00 - 11:30am – Walk/Run around the park/Virtual Walk**
* **11:30am – 1:00pm – Concert, Kidz Zone and**

**Please consider sponsoring me with a donation so that MASCA can continue in their mission and commitment to provide programs and services to enhance the lives of those living with SCD.**

**MASCA is non-profit organization that provides programs, advocacy, counseling, and support services for people living with SCD, and have made great strides in promoting awareness of SCD in the region. The organization serves families as close as Dorchester and as far away as Springfield and Cape Cod.**

**Please consider making a donation today! Those impacted are our friends, our family members, our neighbors and our coworkers. No amount is too small, and whatever you can give will be greatly appreciated.**

**Thank you!**