

# SPEAR

*homelessness to independence*

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Dear Mrs Booth,

This is to acknowledge the cheque for £202.30 which is very gratefully received. Thank you for thinking of us – continued support from the local community is crucial to the success of our organisation and means we can continue to help some of the most vulnerable people in the borough. It means a lot to us that so many Kew churches know of our work and want to support us.

Last year we found accommodation for 256 people, prevented 84 from becoming homeless and helped 192 to live independently. We are launching two new services soon, one to help ex-services personnel at risk of homelessness and the other to assist homeless people into the private rented sector, so we've got a full 2011 planned! I've enclosed our most recent Impact Report so you can see how we use generous donations like yours.

On behalf of everyone at SPEAR, thank you again and if you ever want someone from SPEAR to give a presentation at any of your churches we would be very happy to hear from you – it's a wonderful chance for us to connect with people and we can also pass on advice about our services and support around helping any homeless people you know.

Yours sincerely,



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