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Dear Members of Congress,

We are farmworker parents from across the country. We work hard and pay taxes. All of us care deeply for our young children – their development, wellbeing, and future success. Migrant and Seasonal Head Start centers are a safe, trusted place where we bring our children to learn and grow every day.

We are proud of the work we do picking fruits and vegetables – supporting farmers and United States agriculture. We know that farmworkers like us help to feed families across the country. It is important that our children have a safe place to be while we work from sunup to sundown in the fields.

Every day while we work, our children go to the centers and prepare for kindergarten. They have teachers who care and give them a foundation for a strong future. If we did not have Migrant and Seasonal Head Start, we would have to leave this work that we love and our families have remained in for generations. Farms would be without skilled hands to harvest the crops.

As farmworkers and parents of young children attending Migrant and Seasonal Head Start, we ask you to support our centers. Thank you for helping our children. Thank you for helping us to feed America.

Signed,