

Dear Members of the County Council:

My wife, Tsedal Yeshak, 74 years old, has been sick with dementia for the last five years. Currently, she is bound to a wheelchair. She can't stand up, walk, or talk. I, as the caregiver, must feed her and put her on bed. I am the husband and am 78 years old.

My wife receives 140 hrs help from the Respite Arc Montgomery County every year. Obviously, it is far from being enough, but we are thankful for the help and would appreciate greatly for any additional help we can get from the County.

Sincerely,

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Husband and Caregiver of Tsedal Yeshak