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Dear Anti-Hunger Advocate:

2.2 million Californians are eligible for food stamps but are not currently enrolled in the program due to our state's barriers to the program. Let's join together today to help remove these barriers and ensure all Californians can make their voices heard in Sacramento. The California Hunger Action Coalition (CHAC) invites you to become a member of our dynamic advocacy group working to end hunger in our state. **Please join or renew your membership today.**

CHAC is committed to creating opportunities for Californians to advocate for our human right to adequate and nutritious food. **We could not do this without the support of committed community members like you and your organizations.**

Some of the many benefits of being a CHAC member include:

- Receive the CHAC e-blast to participate in current actions to help fight hunger.
- Be a part of our annual Hunger Action Day on Wednesday May 19th and join hundreds of others in making visits to your state legislators in either Sacramento or their district offices.
 - This year Hunger Action Day will include a hearing on hunger where client advocates will have a chance to address legislators about the problem of hunger.
- Participate in our "Train the Trainer" event and learn how to bring advocacy training to members of your community.
- **ENDING HUNGER IN CALIFORNIA!**

Your support enables us to continue building a diverse network of advocates. CHAC is the only statewide group that brings together low-income residents, service providers, policy professionals, and lobbyists to ensure all Californians have access to affordable healthy food. Please join us; complete and return the enclosed membership form today!

In Solidarity,

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