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Dear Rev. Evans,

Thank you for your kind assistance in facilitating the payment of my water bill. If you had not been able to do this my water would have been shut off within 24 hours. As you well know I have had a rough time over the past year. I have lost my job and am currently unemployed and I have been behind in my mortgage for the past nine months. I was able to receive a modification of my 30 year fixed loan, but because of the status of my employment I was unable to meet that obligation. My current status seems a little bleak, but I was very happy to receive your return call when I reached out for assistance. As you indicated I do not qualify for any of the present housing programs, either the state of Maryland's Bridges Program or President Obama's program. I am not sure which way to turn.

You did indicate that this may be an opportunity to make the transition from the house to an apartment and that you would assist in this process as much as you can. As I said I am also looking for help and funding to be able to file for Chapter 7 Bankruptcy. I really, truly need to talk to someone regarding the implications of this action and where that will lead me. Can you suggest an agency I can talk with? Thank you again for being willing to float my resume to potential employers. As I told you over the phone I had a job with Homeland Security, but because of my credit situation I was unable to pass that phase of the employment process. If I had gotten that job I could have taken care of my mortgage, but I guess this the process that one has to go through when there is a total collapse of your financial life.

May God bless you and I am eagerly waiting for your staff assistant to call me to help with moving as well as finding employment.

Sincerely yours,



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