



**LOCAL 294 TEAMSTERS CARE**  
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Dear Friend,

I hope this message finds you well. Your philanthropy in the past has helped many people and, in some cases, has changed their lives. I applaud you for your past support and I look forward to our continued partnership. True success in life is helping others and not ourselves!

I have been an avid runner for many years and have participated in numerous marathons, many of which have been dedicated to raising funds for charitable causes. This year, I am excited to return for my **second consecutive year** at the **2026 St. Jude Rock 'n Roll Nashville Marathon**, taking place on **April 25, 2026**. I am especially proud to share that I **placed 7th in my age group in last year's race**, which motivates me even more to continue this journey and give back through running.

As I continue working toward my personal milestone of completing the 26.2-mile marathon after turning 62—proving that if you flip the numbers, they still count, I am once again raising funds to support **Local 294 Teamsters Care**, our non-profit organization dedicated to assisting our members, their families, and the wider community. Funds raised through this event will also support **St. Jude Children's Research Hospital** as well as our community partnerships with the **Boys and Girls Club** and the **United Way of the Greater Capital Region**.

As St. Jude founder Danny Thomas said, *"Success has nothing to do with what you gain in life or accomplish for yourself. It's what you do for others."* He also reminded us that *"There are two types of people in this world, the Givers and the Takers. The Takers sometimes eat better, but the Givers always sleep better."*

These organizations provide life-changing programs and services, and your sponsorship will have a meaningful impact on their ability to continue this important work. Last year we exceeded our goal and raised \$80,000 and I respectfully ask for your support by donating to **Local 294 Teamsters Care** as I work toward my fundraising goal of **\$100,000**. No donation is too small, and every contribution is deeply appreciated.

Your generosity will be acknowledged in campaign communications, including social media, within the Local 294 Teamsters Care community, and at other Teamster-related events.

I would be honored if you would consider sponsoring my marathon journey again this year, knowing that your contribution will have a lasting impact on individuals and families in need. Checks may be made payable to **Local 294 Teamsters Care** and mailed to **890 Third Street, Albany, NY 12206**.

Thank you for your time, consideration, and continued support. Together, we can make a meaningful difference in our community.

Sincerely,



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