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Greetings to Participants in the National Anti-Hunger Policy Conference

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We're so glad you're here!

As mentioned during Debbie Weinstein's talk during Sunday's plenary, here are some resources to help in the work to oppose cuts. Got questions? Contact Debbie at dweinstein@chn.org (and if you remember, put Anti-Hunger in the subject line)

FOR ORGANIZATIONS: A letter for *groups* to sign (local, state, or national-scope all welcome) – Deadline, May 19.

To sign the letter (and you'll find a link to the text here):

https://actionnetwork.org/forms/group-letter-supporting-responsible-budget-and-debt-policies-spring-2023/

To read the letter with not quite current list of signers so far:

https://www.chn.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/Group-Letter-Supporting-Responsible-Budget-and-Debt-Policies-Spring-2023.pdfand

FOR INDIVIDUALS: We hope you'll consider sending this emailed letter to you Senators as an individual, whether or not you also work through an organization.

To read and send the letter: https://actionnetwork.org/letters/tell-the-senate-no-cuts-for-debt-ceiling-increase

SOME HELPFUL RESOURCES:

<u>CHN's State Data Resource Library</u> (data from various sources, including Census Bureau's Household Pulse data (including food scarcity by state and metro areas); estimates of people who would lose services under the House-passed bill from federal agencies, and from independent organizations such as the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities.

<u>CHN's FY 24 Budget Resource Library</u> (information from government and independent sources about proposals and impacts)