[Date]

[Name of elected official]

[Office Address of elected official]

Dear [elected official],

I am very fortunate to have been able to have a secure roof over my head. Having that comfort is unfortunately a luxury that many in our community are not able to have due to these difficult economic circumstances. Recently, I have become very concerned about the safety and welfare of unsheltered people living in the encampment at Logan Park. As a proud member of our community yourself, I am sure that you share many of these concerns.

Homelessness is a problem that is bigger than Logan Park or one governmental entity. Many individuals and community groups are working to try to fill care gaps for short-term needs. But long-term housing solutions must be created before the weather gets too cold to camp outside. Our neighborhood cannot meet these housing needs alone; we need our elected officials to advocate for and create these solutions.

I ask that you support action to find permanent, long-term, and dignified housing for our neighbors living in the Logan Park encampment. I ask that you take action on this issue now. Please support the rights and dignity of all members of our community by taking action.

Please let me know what your plans are, and what actions you have already taken to address this issue. Thank you for your time and efforts to protect and serve [Ward 1/Hennepin County/senate district/etc].

Sincerely,

[Your Name]

[Your Address]

[Your City, State, Zipcode]

[Your E-mail]