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Dear Friend of Hildene,

As someone interested in Hildene, whether a day guest, volunteer, member, or donor, we hope you care about Hildene and are inspired to do more.

Today, we ask you to support Hildene by becoming a donor to our Annual Fund — the critical funding lifeline of Hildene. The Annual Fund supports all the programs and places on property that you may have enjoyed. Any gift to the Annual Fund, whether small or large, is greatly needed and immensely appreciated. Please donate today!

Hildene is not insulated from the rising costs of doing business in a sustainable and environmentally-conscious way. Your Annual Fund donation is critical to funding general operations as it helps to underwrite the cost of educating 5,000 students in our youth education programs, provide hundreds of regional residents free admission through our library pass program, care for the many farm animals that delight our guests while adding regenerative value to our landscape, maintain our 14 historic buildings, and provide rewarding careers for our professional staff.

As a new initiative this year, we are excited to introduce Hildene Giving Circles which includes access to exclusive, special events and behind-the-scenes programs. You will find more information on our Giving Circles levels below. We hope you enjoy reading about our successes and accomplishments in the Hildene 2022 Year-in-Review. We are eagerly anticipating breaking ground on Lincoln Hall, our new 4-season assembly hall. This will be a transformational asset for Hildene and the community, as we will be able to host more programs, weddings, and special events. Let us know if you would like an update on the progress of this exciting project.

A gift to the Annual Fund means you value Hildene, value our work, and care enough to contribute to sustaining its future. Hildene continues, with grace and purpose, because of all those who so generously support us.

Please make your Annual Fund gift today.

With deep gratitude for your support,

Brian Keefe, President & Nan Bambara, Advancement Director

