

## OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

## Anthony P. Monaco, President

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Dear Members of the Tufts Community:

We are excited to announce the launch of the 2014 Tufts Community Appeal. This annual tradition is a valuable opportunity to support our students, our neighbors, and our world. This year, co-chairs from all of the schools are collaborating in leading the TCA. As co-chairs, we are honored to represent this tradition and share with you how important the TCA is to us and to our community.

Active citizenship is a hallmark of Tufts, and the TCA is one way we, as faculty and staff, can be involved. The TCA provides us a unique opportunity to help make a difference together. You can choose to support financial aid for our students, one of the designated local charitable organizations, any philanthropy of your choice—or all three! Many charitable organizations are offered for your consideration, including non-profits in our host communities through the Tufts Neighborhood Service Fund as well as regional and international groups such as the United Way and Global Impact Charities. You may additionally direct your gift to a charity that is not listed. We are also proud that so many staff and faculty continue to support student financial aid across our campuses, giving exceptional students the opportunity to attend Tufts.

Tufts is pleased to make payroll deduction available to make giving even easier. And every penny you donate goes to the causes you choose. The university covers all of the costs of the campaign.

We are grateful to the many faculty and staff who participated in last year's campaign and pledged over \$160,000 in donations. While many of us also express our generosity in other ways, we hope even more of you will join us this year and give through the Tufts Community Appeal.

We hope you will take the time to review the enclosed materials to learn how you can make a contribution. Thank you for your generosity and for helping us to make a difference together.

Sincerely,

Tony

Anthony P. Monaco

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