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Hello,

My name is Catherine Rafferty I am a constituent from York, Maine. I have children in our public school system in York. I am writing today to implore our representatives to protect the promise made to all Maine kids to provide them with meals at school. Not only do the school meals offer economic relief to many struggling families in Maine, including York, but they also provide joy and a sense of community to our kids. Our schools take pride in our meal programs and our children are appreciative and often delighted by the meals provided. The kids also enjoy the opportunities to share these meals with their classmates without question of who can afford to eat them. My heart breaks thinking about explaining to our children why their schools are no longer providing meals to everyone. Thank you for fighting to keep this promise to our kids.