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Michael L. O'Reilly
Mayor

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Ms. Afeefa Syeed, Director
Al Fatih Academy
730 Jackson Street
Herndon, Virginia 20170

Dear Ms. Syeed:

I read about the thoughtful efforts of your students during the month of Ramadan in the December 10 issue of *The Herndon Observer*. You should be very proud of their accomplishments

Al Fatih Academy has been an important part of our community. The recent efforts of the students to collect baby items and food for the Embry Rucker Shelter, clean Adams Street, and raise money for the homeless has clearly enriched the lives of others less fortunate and has allowed the students to develop a strong connection to the community.

Please pass on to each of the students how very proud I am that they continue to be positive contributors to our Town. It is such outstanding young people that will be the future leaders of our country, and I wish you much success as the students continue their programs to help our community.

Sincerely,

Michael L. O'Reilly
Mayor