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*who understands*

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Dear Us TOO Support Group Leaders and Friends:

Happy New Year! We are pleased to be able to send the February 2009 *HotSheet*. We sure appreciate all of you who have contributed to Us TOO so we can provide the *HotSheet* at no charge to our support group leaders and participants. I know times are tough out there financially for many and we sure appreciate your support so we can keep going.

In this mailing of the *HotSheet* we have included several pieces of information. First, we have included a copy of the National Association for Continence brochure on "Non-Surgical and Surgical Treatment: What suits your needs?" Secondly, we have included a brochure from CancerCare on their upcoming free telephone Education Workshop "Caring for Your Bones When You Have Prostate Cancer" scheduled for March 24, 2009.

We have also completed the February/March edition of *Chapter News!* Terri has included lots of great stories to keep you up to date and informed. Please note the information on advocacy...it is time now (and over the next few months) to let your elected officials know prostate cancer research (especially DOD research) is important to you. Look for more information coming over the next few weeks on how you can help...the new Congress is starting its work now.

As you will see in this February 2009 issue of the *HotSheet* we have information on our new 2009 Board of Directors, the good news that FDA approved Degarelix, an article from Dr. Chodak, the story that Dr. Gleason passed away plus much more. Late in December 2008, we also had good news that GTx announced the submission of a New Drug Application to the FDA for toremifene for the prevention of bone fractures in men with prostate cancer on androgen deprivation therapy. This announcement was too late to make the January or this February edition of the *HotSheet* unfortunately, but I thought a heads up would be helpful here.

Here at the home office, we are working on closing 2008 and doing our annual audit. We will be asking soon for year end financial information from you, so thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Thomas Kirk,

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