*NAME*
*ADDRESS OF LOCAL PUBLIC WORKS OFFICE*

Dear *NAME*,

My name is *NAME* and I serve as *TITLE/MEMBER NAME* of the FSHD Society. I am writing to ask for a very special favor—to light up *NAME of BUILDING/LANDMARK* orange this June 20th in honor of World FSHD Day, to recognize patients and families around the world who are affected by Facioscapulohumeral muscular dystrophy (FSHD).

FSHD is the most common form of muscular dystrophy, causing progressive skeletal muscle loss. It affects families in our community and almost a million people worldwide. There is no cure yet, but thanks to recent advances in research, treatments are in development and expected as soon as 2025. That’s why raising community awareness is so important. We want families living with FSHD to know *they are not alone*.

We would greatly appreciate for World FSHD Day to serve as an opportunity to spread awareness of FSHD, especially in *CITY*. To that end, we would like to ask that you to kindly arrange for ***LANDMARK* to be lit orange on the night of June 20th, the official color for World FSHD Day.**

If you can accommodate our request, we will promote it through a worldwide social media campaign, sharing images of *LANDMARK* in the World FSHD Day colors over Facebook, Instagram and Twitter. This would be an incredibly powerful way to rally our community, with *LANDMARK* giving visibility to FSHD on a scale that we have never had before.

For more information, please visit <https://www.fshdsociety.org/>. We hope that you will consider standing with FSHD patients, especially right here in *CITY*, by lighting *BUILDING* orange in their honor this June 20th.

Sincerely,

*YOUR NAME*