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November 5, 2008

RE: Wild Game Dinner Solicitation

Dear Sir or Madam:

Greetings and best wishes from the members of the Bulverde Lions Club. Bulverde is a small rapidly growing city, located in Comal county, just north of San Antonio, Texas. Comal is the third fastest growing county in Texas.

This letter is submitted to inform you of our organization and our 33rd Annual Wild Game Dinner fund raising event scheduled for April 3, 2009, from 6:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. at the Alzafar Shrine Temple in San Antonio, Texas.

The Lions Club International champions the cause of eyesight preservation and children's health around the world. Along with supporting the International's Club activities we serve our local community by sponsoring the following missions:

- *Five \$2000 annual scholarships to local high school graduates*
- *Vision Testing for area children*
- *Saint Jude's Ranch for Children*
- *Equipment Funding for the local volunteer Fire and EMS Departments*
- *Cub Scout Pack & Boy Scout Troop # 548*
- *The Comal County Junior Livestock Show*
- *Local youth football, soccer and baseball teams*
- *The Lions Camp for Physically Challenged Children*
- *The Texas Lions Eye Bank*
- *The Bulverde Senior and Community Center*
- *The Bulverde Spring Branch Service Center*
- *The Bulverde/Spring Branch Chamber of Commerce*
- *Community members in need*

We are a small chapter of Lion's doing big things within our community.

Our Wild Game Dinner funds the club missions. Funds are generated through dinner ticket sales, raffles, silent and live auctions of sports and outdoor related merchandise. Through the generosity of organizations such as yours we are able to host this event annually. Our most recent event drew more than 500 sportsman and supporters and we expect a modest increase for this year's event.

To continue growing and supporting our mission, we are asking for your help! Please choose to support us by providing for one or all of the following:

1. Donate hunting, fishing, golf, camping, outdoor related items, and services such as hunting or fishing trips

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2. Purchase and ad in our program: ¼ pg. \$ 300.00, ½ pg. \$400.00, full pg. \$700.00, color inside or back cover full pg. \$1000.00.
3. Attend the event as a Table Sponsor (Table for ten \$750.00; single tickets \$75.00 each)
4. Sponsor a Scholarship or Auction item.

Donations may be monetary, goods and/or services. Should you choose to support, we will gladly add your name to the program sponsor list and/or the table sponsor list. The color program is available to all dinner guests at no charge.

The Bulverde Lions Club has also established the **Bulverde Lions Foundation, a 501(c)(3)** non-profit organization. Should you elect to donate to this foundation please make sure that checks are made out to the “Bulverde Lions Foundation.” This foundation is established for educational and charitable purposes and awards our five annual \$2000 scholarships.

You can contact the following Lions if you have questions or want to donate or order tickets by phone : Mark Kirchoff (830) 885-2495, Mark Morkovsky (210) 341-5565, Joe McNew (210) 218-1133, Daniel Deviney (830) 980-7655, and Dale Wilken (830) 885-6969

I thank you for your consideration and appreciatively await your reply.

Yours in service,

Mark Kirchoff

President, Bulverde Lions Club

Note: The Bulverde Lions Club is a 501(c)(4) tax exempt organization. Contributions to the organization are not deductible for federal income tax purposes as charitable contributions. Consult your tax advisor or accountant to determine whether contributions or fees may be deducted as a business expense.