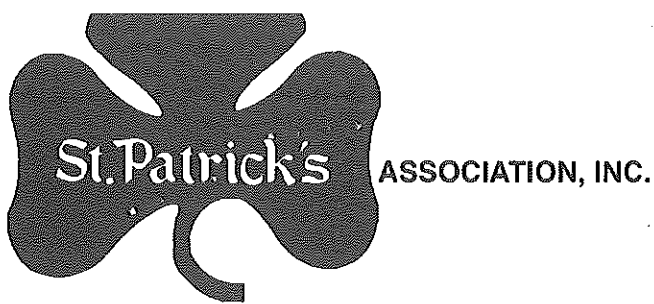




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December 20, 2011

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

The St. Patrick's Association, Inc. is the Minnesota non-profit corporation that has sponsored the annual St. Patrick's Day parade in St. Paul each year since 1966. Funds to pay the costs of producing and sponsoring the parade are generated by the sale of St. Patrick's Day buttons and other fundraising activities, such as the annual "Wear-in of the Green" Dinner and the Irish Open golf tournament. The Association is a 100% volunteer organization; there are no paid staff members or employees.

As in years past, when there are funds remaining after the payment of the costs and expenses of the parade, the Association makes modest contributions to charities and civic organizations.

On behalf of the St. Patrick's Association, I am pleased to enclose our check in the amount of Four Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$450.00) in support of the fine work of your organization.

Very truly yours,

ST PATRICK'S ASSOCIATION, INC.


By--Stewart C. Loper
Treasurer
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Enclosure