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St. Paul Fire Department/Paramedics
645 Randolph Avenue
St. Paul, MN 55102-3523

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The St. Patrick's Association, Inc. is the Minnesota non-profit corporation that has produced and sponsored the annual St. Patrick's Day parade in St. Paul for the past 46 years. Funds to pay the costs of 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, the Irish Open golf tournament and by contributions from local corporations and businesses. The Association is a 100% volunteer organization. There are no paid staff members or employees.

It is a tradition that when there are funds remaining after the payment of the costs and expenses of the parade, the Association makes contributions to charities and civic organizations that benefit the St. Paul community.

It is my honor and privilege, on behalf of the St. Patrick's Association, to enclose our check in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), which we hope you will use to support the mission of your organization.

Very truly yours,

ST PATRICK'S ASSOCIATION, INC.

By--Stewart C. Loper
Treasurer
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Enclosure