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Ladies and Gentlemen:

For the last 49 years, the St. Patrick's Association, Inc. has produced and sponsored the annual St. Patrick's Day Parade in St. Paul. Funds to pay the costs of the parade including such things as permit application fees, insurance, police protection, sanitary facilities, traffic control barriers, etc. are generated by the sale of St. Patrick's Day buttons and other fundraising activities such as the annual "Wearin' of the Green" Dinner, the Irish Open (Pat Gallivan Memorial) golf tournament and by contributions from individuals and business sponsors. The Association is a 100% volunteer organization. There are no paid staff members or employees.

In years when there have been funds remaining after payment of the costs and expenses of the parade, the Association has contributed the excess to charities and civic organizations that benefit St. Paul and surrounding communities.

On behalf of the St. Patrick's Association, Inc. it is my honor and privilege 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  
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