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LAPD CENTURIIONS

NATIONAL PUBLIC SAFETY FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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Dear Prospective Sponsor:

The Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Centurions have been playing football for kids since 1978. This unique fraternity of Los Angeles Police Officers practice, play, and travel on their off duty time to raise money for the Blind Childrens Center of Los Angeles. The Center provides research and development of educational programs for families in the Los Angeles area with young children who are blind or severely visually impaired.

The officers that make up the Centurions recognize their position as role models within our community. The officers, who are players, coaches, and cheerleaders, volunteer their time by meeting with hundreds of at-risk youth who, without support or alternative solutions, might resort to a life of crime or gang activity.

As the chairman of the Board of Directors of the LAPD Centurions, I would like to invite you to join us as an LAPD Centurion sponsor. The Centurions hold six National Public Safety Football League (NPSFL) West Coast Championship titles and one National Championship title. The NPSFL is an organization of over 25 law enforcement and public safety football teams from around the nation. The LAPD Centurions football team is one of four full contact teams in the Los Angeles area that travel nationwide each year. From February to June each team plays a minimum of five games with the proceeds being donated to charity. Your sponsorship will enable the Centurions to continue to participate in the NPSFL while raising charitable funds for the Blind Childrens Center of Los Angeles.

Enclosed is an informational package detailing the LAPD Centurions and the Blind Childrens Center. We hope that you will consider joining us in our commitment to "play football for kids" with your tax-deductible contribution.

I would like to thank you for taking the time out of your busy schedule to review this request. Your support will benefit those at the Blind Childrens Center and the youth in our community. For additional information contact Sharlene Johnson at (213) 486-6917.

Respectfully yours,

Donald Payne,
Chairman
LAPD Centurions Football Team

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