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October 27, 2023

Dear Community Partner:

I would like to offer you the opportunity to support Texas Center for the Missing (TCM) – Houston's Amber Alert AND Silver Alert Provider – by becoming an Event Partner for the 2024 Through the Looking Glass to Wonderland Gala. Partner with us and Be the Key to #BringThemHome!

In 2022 alone, because of community investors like you, TCM was able to provide the following services:

- Assisted 264 searching families on behalf of 111 missing children and 192 missing
- Reunited 60 families as a direct result of TCM services
- Trained 155 Law Enforcement Officers on Emergency Alert Activation best practices
- Activated 3 Amber Alerts and 20 Silver Alerts with a 100% safe recovery rate
- Educated 2,026 children on internet safety
- Provided direct services to 7,641 individuals

Your investment saves lives when TCM brings at-risk children and endangered adults home!

Live and Online Auction contributions have been vital to meeting TCM's fundraising goals each year. We would be honored if you would donate an item for auction or raffle to the 2024 Through the Looking Glass to Wonderland Gala.

Your participation will be crucial to the event's success. The auction will be held on Saturday, March 23, 2024, at Hotel ZaZa – Museum District, and 250+ of Houston's leaders are expected to attend.

Your donation will be completely tax-deductible and all funds raised at the event will support our programs to reunite families. Donations may be sent to Texas Center for the Missing at 2500 Bolsover Street, Houston, TX 77005. You can complete and return the attached donation form or we can arrange to pick up your donation. All donations received prior to March 7th will be acknowledged at the event and in the auction catalog.

We value your help in making the 2024 Gala a huge success. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our Gala Coordinator, Mel Turnquist, at 713.986.3542 or mturnquist@tcftm.org.

I hope you will take advantage of being an Event Partner and support Houston's Amber Alert AND Silver Alert while showcasing your business. Your investment saves lives when TCM brings the missing home and reunites families!

Thank you so much for investing in the safety of at-risk children and endangered adults.

Sincerely.

Courtney Culver Baker 2024 Gala Auction Co-Chair Lauren Mills Lauren Mills

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AUCTION/RAFFLE DONATION FORM

2024 Through the Looking Glass to Wonderland Gala March 23, 2024





The 2024 TCM Gala Auction Chairs & Steering Committee sincerely thank you for joining us in our mission to reunite families. All proceeds support Amber/Silver Alerts, internet safety, abduction prevention, and family reunification programs across Greater Houston.

Please respond no later than March 7th to be included in the Auction Catalog.

Name and/or Company:_____ Contributor Recognition Name: ____ Please be sure to include mailing address so we can (Please print exactly as it should appear in the catalog and circle alphabetizing letter.) THANK YOU! Address: City/State/Zip: Email: Donor Signature and Date: Donation • Estimated Fair Market Value: \$ Description: (Please include location, any restrictions, minimum bid requested, expiration dates, or contact information for scheduling) Proposed Date of Pick-Up/Delivery:_____ ☐ Merchandise attached ☐ Please make gift certificate ☐ Gift certificate attached ☐ Please call contact person to arrange for pickup/delivery Name and/or Company:_____ Contact Phone: for pick-up or follow-up if Email: different from donor information. Return this form to: Texas Center for the Missing, Attention: Gala

Thank You!

Return this form to: Texas Center for the Missing, Attention: Gala 2500 Bolsover Street, Houston, TX 77005 support@tcftm.org ♦centerforthemissing.org

Please retain a copy for your records.

Texas Center for the Missing is a 501c3 nonprofit organization. All donations are deductible for income tax purposes to the extent allowed by law. Proceeds of the auction will benefit Houston's Silver Alert, Amber Alert, and programs to keep at-risk children and endangered adults safe.

Donation fair market value is the privilege and responsibility of the donor.

