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**National
Philanthropy Day®**



Dear Fundraising Colleague,

*Philanthropy Day
Nominations
Committee*

Do you know someone that deserves special thanks for their giving spirit ... their leadership ... or their caring?

*CO-CHAIR
Meg Johnson
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Today, we are giving you the opportunity to let others know about a special person or organization, and possibly have them recognized at the National Philanthropy Day luncheon in Lincoln on Tuesday, November 11.

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Brenda Helget, CFRE
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This is the largest and most prestigious event of the year for Nebraska's fundraising professionals. Between 250 - 300 attendees gather to recognize the **Outstanding Philanthropist, Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser, Outstanding Foundation, Outstanding Corporation, Outstanding Youth in Philanthropy and Lifetime Achievement.**

Please consider nominating a donor, volunteer, or organization that has made a difference not only to your own non-profit organization but the community at large. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to shine the light on Nebraska's very best – to thank them and provide the recognition that their philanthropy and volunteerism so richly deserves.

This is also a special opportunity to celebrate the generosity of your donors or volunteers in a meaningful way with their family, friends, and colleagues.

Don't wait another day! **Please complete and return the enclosed nomination form(s) by Monday, March 17, 2014.** (A list of past honorees is enclosed.) The selection committee will carefully review all nominations and make the final selections. Remember, you may re-nominate a candidate you have nominated in the past that did not yet receive an award.

Thank you so much for your help with this very important event.

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Nominations Co-Chair

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P.S. The Nebraska Chapter selects our state award winners for national award nominations, and the 2003 Nebraska Chapter Outstanding Volunteer Fundraiser winner, Carol Russell, also won the national award. Your nomination could receive the same honor!