

The Community Enhancement Foundation of Plains

P.O. Box 143, Plains, KS 67869

April 14, 2013

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Dear Mr and Mrs ;

I am writing on behalf of The Community Enhancement Foundation of Plains regarding their "Access to Food" project. The CEF of Plains is trying to improve the quality of life in Plains and Kismet by keeping them viable communities to live and raise a family.

The CEF of Plains plans to provide a grocery store to serve both the Plains and Kismet area, which would make a positive difference in both communities. "Grand Avenue Market" would bring healthy and nutritious food to the citizens of both small towns at convenient and affordable prices.

We are in the process of applying for the Kansas Community Tax Credits. This application is due to the Kansas Department of Commerce by May 3, 2013. Our chances of being awarded the tax credits are greater, if there are committed donors at the time of the application.

The CEF of Plains is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, this means you can deduct the donation as an itemized deduction for Federal and State income tax savings plus claim the Kansas Tax Credit of 70% of the amount donated. Money normally sent to the Federal government and Kansas for income taxes goes to general uses over the whole country or state, instead a donation to the CEF of Plains puts your hard earned "would be" tax dollars to work in the local community. You can actually see something worthwhile created with your tax dollars and the tax savings can be huge, in some cases are greater than the donation.

Attached is a spreadsheet, prepared by Lana Miller, CPA, showing the tax savings which could be created at various donation levels corresponding to your personal tax bracket. Also attached is an income tax bracket so you can see which tax bracket fits your adjusted gross income. Please consult your tax preparer for your proposed savings.

The board of directors of the CEF of Plains would like to give our heartfelt thanks to you for giving your valuable time in considering our request.

Sincerely,

The Community Enhancement Foundation of Plains

Jeanne Roberts – President

Mark Tabb – Treasurer

Jennifer Miller – Secretary

Silvia Olvera – Board Member

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