

Lysa Rhodes

From: Babette Hansen
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To: Lysa Rhodes
Subject: DONATION FROM CONNIE THORNTON

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Good Afternoon, Lysa~

As you know from Chief Anspach's previous e-mail, we received a \$10,000.00 donation from Mrs. Connie Thornton to be used toward the purchase of medical supplies for our trauma bags. I wanted to verify with you into which account I should deposit this check. If you could please advise, I would appreciate it. We hope to take care of this tomorrow. And then, of course, if you could please place it on the next City Council agenda, that would be great.

Thanks for your assistance with this, Lysa...much appreciated.

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From: William Anspach
Sent: Friday, April 21, 2023 3:55 PM
To: Douglas Smith
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Subject: Donation

Doug,

Yesterday, I met with Connie Thornton at her home in reference to a possible donation to the police department. She has made donations to us in the past and in fact has helped to purchase patrol rifles, as well as our current message board. I explained to Ms. Thornton that we had recently purchased medical go bags on a grant and were now looking for funding opportunities to fill them with medical equipment such as bag valve masks, tourniquets and other wound care items. With the dangers that officers face each and every day, the ability to have this equipment actually with us, on calls, could potentially be lifesaving. Once we have the equipment on hand, we will be working with our Fire and EMS partners as well as Dr. Anderson to ensure we have the proper training.

Ms. Thornton understands the need and is extremely excited about this project. This afternoon, she presented us with a check for \$10,000, which will now allow us to prepare about 20 bags! As you know this community is amazing and we honestly could not do all that we do without their support. We will look to add to the agenda, allowing time for the check to clear. Have a great weekend.

Billy

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