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Mr. Emile Stieffel  
Aurora Country Club Catering  
5244 General Meyer  
Algiers, LA 70131

Dear Mr. Stieffel:

Volunteers of America of Greater New Orleans would like to express our sincere appreciation for your contribution to the 2003 GolfStar Classic. Our event was a complete success thanks to your in-kind donation.

This year we were able to raise over \$100,000 because of your help and hundreds of other generous companies and individuals in the metro New Orleans area. All proceeds from the GolfStar Classic benefit Volunteers of America's Caring Alternatives Maternity and Adoption program. This is the only licensed adoption agency in the city with certified open adoption practitioners.

Caring Alternatives also helps women experiencing an unplanned pregnancy receive the medical attention and counseling they need to make the right decision for themselves and their babies. There is also a support group called "Healing Hearts" which helps women who have placed their babies for adoption, either through Volunteers of America or with another agency. In addition, the program has expanded to find permanent homes for children placed in state custody.

For over a century, Volunteers of America has extended a hand to our fellow citizens to uplift their spirits, their independence and their hopes through our mission of service. Again, thank you and God bless.

Sincerely,

James M. LeBlanc  
President/CEO

cc: Jim Bouchie  
2003 GolfStar Committee Member

*Most Volunteers of America programs are accredited by national associations.*

*Volunteers of America of Greater New Orleans is accredited by CARF in the following programs:*

**Employment Services:**  
Employment Services  
Coordination

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