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Dear Mr. De La Hoya,

In Arizona, there are tens of thousands of migrant and seasonal agricultural workers that make it possible for everyone to have fresh fruits and vegetables on their tables every day.

The Arizona Interagency Farmworkers Coalition, Inc. (AIFC) is a non-profit organization whose primary focus is to increase awareness and coordinate efforts around available resources and programs for migrant and seasonal agricultural workers in the state of Arizona. Our working Board of Directors includes representatives from such diverse areas as Education, Health, Labor, and other community based organizations.

AIFC's main activity is our annual educational conference and scholarship award ceremony. Each year, AIFC awards between five and ten \$1,500 scholarships to students from families that earn a living as migrant or seasonal agricultural workers. The AIFC conference is the only one of its kind in Arizona that provides opportunities to build collaborative relationships across agencies and disciplines to provide the most relevant, useful, and updated information for those that work with the people that put food on all of our tables.

We hope you will consider a donation to AIFC. All scholarship donations and proceeds from items auctioned at our live and silent auctions go directly to supporting awardees' post-secondary academic pursuits. We gratefully accept both monetary contributions and items that may be auctioned at our silent and live auction during the conference to support our scholarship program, as well as general donations to support the conference.

Included you will find our sponsor and donation forms, a description of benefits for donating at various levels, and the registration form if you are able to join us at our conference in Yuma, September 22-23, 2020. We would love to see you there!

If you have questions or would like any additional information about AIFC, the scholarship program, or the conference, please contact either Fernando Quiroz at 928-287-4125 or Lisa Nieri at 602-312-5016.

The 2020 AIFC Board Members thank you for considering an investment in our next generation by supporting post-secondary education for students of agricultural worker families.

Sincerely,

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