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Dear Friend of the Foundation,

It was during her losing battle with breast cancer in 2010 that Donna M. Saunders helped us understand the additional onerous challenges that confront many who are struggling with this dreaded disease. Although she was blessed to have had the loving support of family and friends, Donna made us aware that many breast cancer patients have not budgeted, nor have the resources to pay for medical deductibles, lost work time, or transportation to medical facilities, etc. These burdensome expenses often force individuals to make life-changing choices concerning their medical treatment. This should never happen!

The Donna M. Saunders Foundation, Inc., (DMSF, Inc.) provides critically needed support to breast cancer patients who are struggling with both staying alive and managing life. Since 2012, we have helped hundreds of patients with medical bills, transportation costs, insurance payments, groceries, rent, and assistance with expenses not covered by insurance. DMSF, Inc. is an extremely efficient operation. In fact, 95% of every dollar we receive goes directly to patient support. For the last seven years, GuideStar has awarded the Foundation with a Gold-Seal rating for its financial and people information. We are doing all we can with what we have, but now we need your help!

On October 28, 2023, we are hosting our signature **Pink Tie~ Keeping Our Promise~ Gala.** Our goal is to raise funds to allow for continued patient support and bring attention to the little-

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known issues associated with breast cancer. Although the disease is often thought of as a women's issue, it has a significant impact on men's lives as well. This gala will celebrate our Pink Tie Guys who exhibit their support by raising awareness of, and funds for, the Donna M. Saunders Foundation, Inc. throughout the month of October.

We are respectfully requesting your promise to help someone in need by becoming a Sponsor for the Gala and a supporter of this most important cause! Just imagine the life-altering difference you can make in someone's life with your generosity. It doesn't take a lot to do a lot - for example, with a \$5,000 sponsorship we are able to provide medical insurance/housing/transportation assistance for seven (7) women, and with a \$10,000 sponsorship we are able to provide one hundred (100) Chemo Support Kits. Please see the enclosed listing with all Sponsorship levels and what benefits come with each of the levels. Feel free to contact us with any questions or if additional information is needed. Helping someone you might not ever meet and without expecting thanks in return is true unconditional love...become a true Friend of the Donna M. Saunders Foundation, Inc. today!

Warm Regards,

The Board of Directors

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