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Dear Community Member,

Crime continues to be top of mind when discussing our quality of life. Locally, we are in the midst of a life-changing crime wave. New Orleans earned the national title of 6th in **“the ten most dangerous cities in 2023.”** Citizens are being victimized and businesses are suffering. But **there is hope** and that is why I am asking for you to **join me in supporting Crimestoppers GNO!** Thanks to the work of Crimestoppers of Greater New Orleans, people have a voice in which they can anonymously report crimes and criminals without any fear of reprisal. Our organization has helped solve countless crimes over the last 40 years and innovative technologies, such as our “Say it Here” smartphone app has made it faster and easier than ever. Additionally, our Safe Schools Louisiana team has prevented suicides; and intervened in possible school shootings in over six hundred schools across Louisiana.

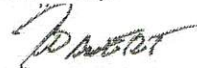
We cannot remain silent, as we fight for the soul of our city and surrounding communities. We know that Crimestoppers is a proven way; that citizens can help fight back against criminals and serve as force multipliers for law enforcement. But, like all not for profits, funding is needed from citizens and business leaders like you to continue our work. It is my distinct honor to serve as Co-Chair of the **March 1st, Crimestoppers 39th Annual Awards Luncheon** and I am reaching out to you in the hope that you are able and willing to join as a sponsor. Donations from businesses and organizations are the lifeblood of funding for Crimestoppers’ programs. With your help a fundraising goal of \$200,000 this year is absolutely achievable. Your community needs you now like no other time in our region’s history.

The Annual Crimestoppers’ Luncheon recognizes individuals in public safety and criminal justice for their service and allows them to network with leaders like you. This year’s event will be held at the New Orleans Sheraton Hotel, 500 Canal Street in the Grand Ballroom. A sponsorship form has been attached for your reference and I ask that you place a contribution to Crimestoppers in your 2024 budget.

The assistance needed from the community to help law enforcement requires investments by those who can help. I thank you for your partnership, and your financial gift. Your donation is tax-deductible.

Thank you for your assistance and I look forward to your joining us at the March 1st luncheon!

Sincerely,



Mr. Robert Lupo, Co-Chair



Darlene Cusanza, President and CEO