Plano Metropolítan Ballet

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Dear Sir or Madam:

Plano Metropolitan Ballet (PMB) is a non-profit 501(c)3 ballet company in Plano, Texas, founded in 1987 and under the artistic direction of Cindi Lawrence Hanson since 1998. Plano Metropolitan Ballet's mission is to provide the local and neighboring communities with a variety of original dance productions of the highest quality.

Dancers train at Gotta Dance, the official school of Plano Metropolitan Ballet. Plano Met Dancers dedicate their time each week to prepare for our Fairy Tale Ballet performed in January each year. Our Junior Company, ages 8-12, rehearse weekly to produce our annual Jubilee. In addition, PMB hosts Dance Plano!, our festival performance, which includes professional and student dancers from North Texas and surrounding states such as Oklahoma and Missouri.

Plano Met Ballet also sponsors PMB Pals. PMB Pals is an outreach program dedicated to teaching children with special needs. The classes are underwritten by your donations, instructed by PMB teachers and assisted by volunteer PMB dancers. This gives the PMB Pals an opportunity for one-on-one instruction.

Plano Metropolitan Ballet:

- > Stimulates an interest in the art of dance in citizens of all ages throughout North Texas.
- Reaches under-served members of the community through the art of dance with PMB Pals.
- Showcases the talents of community members of all ages through the original choreography of trained professionals and performances by local artists.
- Provides a supportive and challenging atmosphere for the students to enhance their existing dance abilities through performance opportunities.

Please consider joining <u>"Corporate Friends of Plano Met"</u> by making a donation to Plano Metropolitan Ballet Company. Your company name will be listed in our programs that are handed out during the performances. In addition, your company name and website link will be added to our website as an official corporate sponsor. <u>Your donation will have a</u> <u>significant impact on the success of PMB</u>. <u>Donations assist PMB with the facility costs for our performances throughout</u> <u>the year, provide costumes, create sets and props, and pay the choreographers.</u>

Remember that your gift is completely tax deductible and you will be sent an acknowledgement confirming your donation. Thank you for your consideration to help our dancers and dance company. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Sterah J. Yoder

Sherah L. Yoder – Board, Fundraising Board of Directors, PMB On behalf of Mrs. Cindi Lawrence Hanson

