Dear Gabriel’s Angels Community,

It is with a heavy heart that I must share with you that our annual Unleash the Love Fundraising Breakfast scheduled for Friday, April 24, 2020 has been canceled due to the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) public health crisis. In consideration of the recommendations of our local, state and federal public health officials, we at Gabriel’s Angels want to ensure the health and safety of our community as our number one priority at this time.

As I’m sure you are aware, with 2020 being our 20th Anniversary, we were especially excited to bring together 1,000 guests from our community for an inspirational and educational program focused on the impactful work of Gabriel’s Angels in the lives of at-risk children. In addition to sharing the mission of our organization with so many members from our community, the Unleash the Love breakfast acts as one of our main fundraisers for the year. The donations and financial pledges of support that are generated from the Unleash the Love breakfast help fund the programs that serve over 12,500 at-risk children each year. As you can imagine, the cancellation of the 2020 Unleash the Love breakfast is not only devastating to our organization but has the unfortunate potential to affect the ways in which we are able to serve our 123 partner agencies throughout the state of Arizona.

Like many other nonprofits who have had to cancel fundraising events, I want to assure you that Gabriel’s Angels is busy seeking creative ways to raise the funds necessary to carry out our mission. One way in which we are planning to do this is by more actively participating in Arizona Gives Day, a statewide 24-hour day of online giving scheduled for Tuesday, April 7, 2020. Through Arizona Gives Day, Gabriel’s Angels has the opportunity to not only raise much needed funds, but also has the chance to engage folks within our community. Whether through a donation in support of Gabriel’s Angels or by becoming a Gabriel’s Angels fundraiser, you have the opportunity to make a huge difference.

In times where we feel we do not have much control over anything and are at a loss as to how we can help our community, supporting Gabriel’s Angels through Arizona Gives Day is a real and impactful opportunity for you to help make a tremendous, positive effect in the lives of Arizona’s at-risk children. After this crisis passes, the children and partner agencies we serve will need us more than ever and Gabriel’s Angels is committed to providing Pet Therapy now and into the future. It has been an amazing 20 years serving the children of Arizona and I sincerely hope you will help us raise the funds necessary to continue our legacy of service within our community.

Additional questions, comments, and/or concerns may be directed to me personally, Pam Gaber, CEO of Gabriel’s Angels. I may be reached at PGaber@GabrielsAngels.org or 602.266.0875, ext 12.

Regards,

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