Dear Fellow AFP Members,

It's that time of year again when I reach out to our AFP \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (chapter) membership to ask you for your support.  Specifically, I am asking you to consider joining me by making a modest donation to the AFP Canada Foundation for Philanthropy.  This Foundation was established as a demonstration of the growth and maturity of the fundraising profession in Canada.  The Foundation has been able to support the work of the Association through the funding of AFP initiatives that benefit members and non-members, increase accessibility to educational programs, fund new and innovative research, and conduct public education programs to enhance the environment for philanthropy.

A broad range of educational grants and bursaries have been funded to the benefit of members and non-members in all regions of the country. Locally, our chapter as directly benefited, having previously received funds to support the webinars and our newest Fundamentals of Fundraising.

But more importantly, you will be demonstrating that as a professional, you ***walk the walk*** by supporting your profession's own philanthropic needs. And AFP makes it so easy to do it!

All you need to do is *click* the following link to learn more, and to complete your donation :

<http://afpcan.akaraisin.com/Donation/Event/Home.aspx?seid=3926&mid=8&Lang=en-CA>

It doesn't take a lot of money or time... even a few dollars each month – conveniently charged to your credit card each month will add up to a great donation.

Thanks so much for your support and your involvement in one of the most rewarding professions – your help of supporting the practice of what we preach is a strong message in our industry.

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