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Hi Jeffrey:

Nice speaking with you earlier. I just faxed you two inquiries for review.

Attached, please find RQO 03-133 pertaining to the issue of gift solicitations. In addition to the two inquiries I recently faxed, I am also faxing two other opinions, since they are not available on our website as of yet.

As a general rule, there is no prohibition under the Code of Ethics for employees to solicit sponsorships and donations for County-sponsored events which support the department's education/public service mission. Therefore, gift solicitations for employee luncheons, picnics, etc... would be prohibited since those events are solely for the benefit of department personnel.

Please do not hesitate to call me should you have any additional questions once you've reviewed the opinions.

Sincerely, Christina Prkic Staff Attorney Miami-Dade County Commission on Ethics and Public Trust P: (305) 350-0615



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Robert:

Just a follow-up to our phone conversation re the e-mail that your staff was to send to me re the allowability of getting donations etc. to pay for food at workshops. Thank you.

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Jeff

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