



JOSETTE
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MEMORIAL
FOUNDATION

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Dear Local Business Owner,

I am writing to you on behalf of the Josette Beddell Memorial Foundation. Our mission is to help better the lives of families in Northeast Ohio affected by breast cancer. We work to raise funds and find families in our community where those funds can make a positive impact on their lives.

Our summer fundraiser, **the 8th annual Josette Beddell Memorial 5K Run/Walk**, will be held on June 25, 2016, at Stadium Park in Canton. All proceeds from 5k will go towards our scholarship fund. Each year we choose a local high school senior whose life has been affected by breast cancer for a four-year renewable \$500 college scholarship.

I am writing to ask if your organization would consider making a donation for this event. Not only will you be helping a great cause but also your organization will be spotlighted at our event. Included with your donation is recognition at our event as well as on our event t-shirts. Your support, along with other generous donors, will help provide the financial resources necessary for our success and allow the Josette Beddell Memorial Foundation to continue with its mission.

Our foundation is rooted in the ideals of our namesake, Josette Beddell, a life-long resident of Stark County who lost her battle with breast cancer but lived her life working to better the community she lived in.

How can you help?

T-Shirt Sponsor: \$200 donation, your company logo will be featured on our race t-shirts, race banner and on promotional materials.

In Kind Donation: Your company can donate a product or service that we can benefit from on the day of our event. Donations are needed for refreshments, ice, balloons, bottled water and other misc. supplies.

All of the proceeds from this event will remain in Northeast Ohio and will go directly to helping families in need. We appreciate your consideration and hope that you will support our event. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at astroud@josettememorial.org or (330) 685-2329.

Thank you for your consideration and support,

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8th Annual JBMF 5k Chair

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