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The Chicago Department of Aviation, on behalf of the City of Chicago, would like to accept the benefit of the following sponsorship opportunity:

On Thursday, November 17, 2022, there will be a membership drive at that the Hampton Social, 164 E. Grand, Chicago, Illinois, in support of the formation of a Chicago Chapter of the Airport Minority Advisory Council ("AMAC"). In June 2022, during the 37th annual AMAC conference hosted by the Chicago Department of Aviation, with over 1500 participants in attendance, Chicago was chosen as 1 of only 8 cities to form its own AMAC chapter. AMAC is a national, non-profit trade association dedicated to advancing the full participation of minorities and women in employment and contracting opportunities through the aviation and aerospace industries. AMAC has been at the forefront of nearly every national policy initiative impacting the participation of disadvantaged business in airport contracting. The purpose of the membership drive is to garner support from local concessionaires, contractors and business to join the Chicago AMAC Chapter in order to bring more business opportunities to our local community members. The President and CEO of the national chapter, Eboni Winbush, is expected to be in attendance.

Master ConcessionAir ("MCA"), a world-wide company, has made the generous offer to sponsor the membership drive for the benefit of Chicago in its effort to form an AMAC chapter at an approximate cost \$15,000. MCA is a family and minority-owned hospitality company that successfully operates airport concession and retail businesses. MCA directly operates 48 food and beverage units along with 9 retail stores throughout the U.S..

This opportunity would be a great benefit to the City of Chicago and the business community.

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