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Subject: Ethics letter for donation to the Ward office

Hi Steve,

Attached is a letter detailing a donation our office received on 12262024 that we are donating to a local school to raffle at their Gala Fundraiser in May. Please let me know if I need to send anything else.

Julian, Steve suggested I CC you at the Comptroller's office to keep you informed since the City Comptroller's position has not been filled yet.

Best,

Esme Borrero

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Steve,

On 12/26/2024, the 44th Ward Service Office was given a 750ml bottle of Ruinart Champagne (approximate retail value of \$125.99) from Surf Management. The office has accepted it on behalf of the City and will give it to Tubman Elementary (2851 N. Seminary) so that the school can auction the item off at their fundraising Gala on May 17th.

We appreciate your kind consideration.

Best Regards,

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