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Dear Jim,

On behalf of the Las Vegas Area Council, Scouting America, thank you for your extraordinary generosity and support of the **2025 Good Scout Award Luncheon honoring Bill Hornbuckle** at the Bellagio Hotel and Casino. Because of you, this became the **largest Good Scout Award Luncheon in our history**, with nearly **900 attendees** and more than **\$861,000 raised** - a milestone achievement that reflects the power of community and your belief in Scouting's mission.

We are deeply grateful for your partnership at the **\$2,500** level. Your gift does far more than sponsor an event - it changes lives. The dollars raised will directly impact more than **5,000 youth** across Southern Nevada and Northern Arizona, including over **1,400 youth in OutREACH**, our program serving the most underserved in our community. Your support also strengthens **Adventure Scouts**, designed for youth with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD), and **Exploring**, our workforce development initiative preparing young people for careers in law enforcement, healthcare, aviation, and more. These programs are lifelines of opportunity, and your generosity makes them possible.

We are especially thankful for our collaborative partnerships with organizations such as the **Charles and Phyllis M. Frias Charitable Trust**, whose commitment alongside yours amplifies the reach and impact of Scouting. Together, we are ensuring that Scouting remains a valued and trusted resource for youth and families throughout Las Vegas and the surrounding communities.

Your generosity embodies the values of the Scout Law - **Helpful** in opening doors for youth, **Loyal** in standing with Scouting, and **Kind** in giving back to strengthen our community. These values shine through your example, inspiring young people to live with courage, compassion, and purpose.

Please accept our heartfelt thanks for your role in making this historic luncheon possible. Together, we are not only shaping the future of Scouting but also building a stronger, more hopeful future for the youth we serve.

In true scouting fashion, please let us know how we can help you.

Thank you,

Sandra Douglass Morgan  
President, Las Vegas Raiders  
Chairman, 2025 Good Scout  
Award Luncheon Committee

Patrick Ballinger  
Director of Development & Marketing  
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