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Dear Potential Sponsor:

The Arc of the Pikes Peak Region (The Arc PPR) is a private nonprofit organization serving El Paso, Park, and Teller Counties. Our mission is to promote and protect the human rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) and actively support their full inclusion and participation in the communities of the Pikes Peak region throughout their lifetimes. Our Building for Change campaign is currently in process. The capital campaign is raising funds to update our current facilities to be accessible by all abilities and creating an inclusive campus for community use. We are offering the opportunity to the community to partner with us by sponsoring the following 2017 events:

On February 28th, 2017, we will host The Colorado Premiere of **Learning to Drive** starring Colorado's own Connor Long. The Hollywood style premiere will feature an appetizer and cocktail meet and greet at 6:00 p.m. with the star and director of **Learning to Drive**, before the showing of the film. This event is a fundraiser for The Arc PPR's Building for Change campaign, and tickets will be available to purchase on Eventbrite at www.thearcpprlearningtodrive.eventbrite.com.

On March 1st, 2017, we are hosting the 5th Annual Achieve With Us Colorado Film Festival, also at Stargazers Theatre and Event Center. The theme for the 2017 Film Festival is "*Building for Change*," as we are building for change in perception of people with differing abilities. The event is free to the public with showings at 1:00 p.m., 3:30 p.m., and 7:00 p.m. March is National Developmental Disability Awareness Month, and in celebration, the film festival highlights the abilities of people with I/DD. The films are created by or about people with I/DD from our community and across the world.

Please contact Gin Woolsey (gin@thearcppr.org), or 719-471-4800 Ext. 115, if you would like to learn more about The Arc PPR's current combined 2017 event sponsorship. Thank you for your consideration. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Wilfred Romero'.

Wilfred Romero
Executive Director