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Dear Community Supporter:

Being a part of the Houston Independent School District offers many opportunities for goodwill efforts to support those student athletes who are working to better themselves and our community. Student athletes, who are supported, not only by their schools but the local business community, give returns that are immeasurable. An athletic program with limited funds is restricting the potential of those students it serves.

Westside High School is a four year urban high school located in far West Houston. Since its opening in the fall of 2000, Westside has become one of the top schools in the Houston Independent School District. Westside offers an extensive variety of athletic, artistic, and academic extra-curricular activities. We have over 3,000 students with our football athletes attending the Air Force Academy, Alabama State, Auburn, Baylor, George Washington, Harvard, Louisiana State, MIT, Prairie View A&M, Rice, SMU, Stanford, Texas A&M, Texas Christian, TSU, Texas State, Texas Tech, University of Arizona, University of Colorado, University of Houston, University of Mississippi, University of Oklahoma, University of Texas, University of Washington, Yale, University of Connecticut and Xavier.

The Westside Wolves athletic program continues to work to help make a difference in the lives of young men. Each and every student as well as their families benefit from these types of activities that help create structure, discipline, and sense of family in a fun safe environment.

However, as with everything that needs expansion we are searching for help in our ever expanding monetary output. Today, you can help make an immediate difference in our progress by donating to our athletic program and by helping to sponsor our program.

Would you be willing to consider taking on the role of a mentor to these students through a donation to our football program? Financial support helps build a football program where 50% of the students are on free lunch. A strong and respected program helps those students who otherwise may not attend a university do so through a full football scholarship.

Please see the enclosed brochure on our football program and the different sponsor levels available to you.

On behalf of Westside High School and our student athletes, I thank you for your consideration of a contribution. Please feel free to mail your contribution, stop by the school to tour our facilities or contact me to further discuss our program.

Sincerely,

Mark Byrd
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