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Dear Prospective Sponsor:

On behalf of the Illinois Black Hall of Fame (IBHOF) Advisory Council, an affiliate of the African-American Ladies' Legacy Foundation (AALLF), we invite you to join us as a sponsor of the 2025 Juneteenth Celebration of Illinois' Black Achievers. This Gala Celebration will include a VIP Networking Reception and the induction ceremonies of the Black Women of First Distinction and the Illinois Black Hall of Fame Honorees.

The event will take place on Saturday, June 8, 2025, at the beautiful Center for Performing Arts, Governors State University. In honor of Juneteenth, we elected to commemorate and celebrate the notable achievements made by African Americans to the state of Illinois and the global community at large.

As you know, Juneteenth denotes a Celebration of Freedom and became the eleventh federally recognized national holiday in the United States of America on June 19, 2021. We are asking you to help us make this historic undertaking, a celebration that would live up to IBHOF'S Mission of Excellence; as we collectively Honor the Past, Celebrate the Present and Inspire the Future.

It is our goal to make the IBHOF MUSEUM an iconic display of achievements historical representation, and a presentation of Black Achievers. Should you have any questions regarding sponsorship opportunities, please contact Attorney Richard Boykin, IBHOF Chair at (202) 230-8578.

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Best Regards,

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