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Dear \_\_\_\_\_:

MEDA Conference planners are working to assemble their Fall Conference on Flathead Lake co-hosted by Lake County Community Development and the Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes. This fall's theme is "Working Toward the Future: Sustainability and Culture in Economic Growth" and will be held in Polson, October 12-14, 2016 at the KwaTaqNuk Resort. Registration will be available starting August 8, 2016.

The typical MEDA conference has about 100 attendees from all over the state who work or are involved in Economic Development. We invite you to join us as a sponsor for this fall's conference.

Highlights of the conference agenda thus far:

- Located on beautiful Flathead Lake (first time location)
- Welcome by CSKT Tribal Vice-Chairman and Yamncut Drum Group
- Tribal Economic Development topics
- Value-Added food production topics
- Table talks with agency representatives & hot topics
- MEDA Awards Luncheon
- State Legislative Leadership update
- Gubernatorial Forum
- Closing by Polson Mayor Heather Knutson

<b>Event Benefits for Sponsors</b>	<b>Bison Level \$1,000</b>	<b>Elk Level \$500</b>	<b>Deer Level \$250</b>
Complimentary registration(s) to the conference	3	2	1
Company Banner on display at the conference	X		
Display table at the conference	X	X	
Option for materials to be placed in attendee packets	X	X	
Name/Logo included on all marketing materials and agenda	X	X	X
Recognition from the stage during the event	X	X	X
Logo included in Conference Summary	X	X	X
Logo on conference table tent cards	X	X	X

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Thank you for your consideration,

The MEDA Agenda Committee

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