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TO: State/Provincial/Partner Nation NCF-Envirothon Coordinators

DATE: November 2, 2020

RE: 2021 Membership Dues

State/Provincial/Partner Nation Envirothon Programs,

On behalf of the National Conservation Foundation (NCF), thank you for your participation in and support of the NCF-Envirothon program. The mission of the NCF-Envirothon is to "develop knowledgeable skilled and dedicated citizens who have an understanding of natural resources and are willing and prepared to work towards achieving and maintaining a balance between the quality of life and the quality of the environment." The NCF-Envirothon accomplishes this mission by equipping high school students with the knowledge and skills to change the world and to work toward a more sustainable future. Today, Envirothon alumni can be found around the globe and in a wide variety of career fields.

Membership fees from participating states, provinces and partner nations are vital to the continued sustainability and growth of the NCF-Envirothon program and annual international competition. Your membership benefits include:

- Eligibility of state/province/partner nation to send a team to the NCF-Envirothon annual international competition*
- Use of Envirothon® name and logo (The Envirothon name and logo are registered trademarks of the NCF)
- Eligibility to apply for NCF-Envirothon Diversity Enhancement and Underserved Audience Grants
- Access to NCF-Envirothon program staff to support educational content
- Access to the newly created NCF-Envirothon Alumni Network
- And more

*COVID-19 RESPONSE - We are on track to hold the 2021 NCF-Envirothon annual international competition in person from July 25-31, 2021 in Lincoln, Nebraska. NCF, NCF-Envirothon and the Nebraska Association of Resources Districts will continue to monitor local, state, federal and international guidelines

related to COVID-19 (coronavirus). Our top priority is to provide a safe and healthy environment for all participants, volunteers and guests, and we will continue to share information as it becomes available.

NCF-Envirothon program staff and the NCF-Envirothon Operating Committee are continuously improving upon our available resources and adding to services and features that will benefit your local Envirothon program, such as updated comprehensive learning objectives, virtual training resources and much more. Membership with the NCF-Envirothon will ensure your access to these resources for your state/provincial/partner nation Envirothon program.

For your convenience, your 2021 Annual Membership fee of \$350 U.S. dollars can be paid via credit card (PayPal)**, check/U.S. bank draft or direct deposit. You can access the NCF-Envirothon 2021 Annual Membership Invoice here.

**Due to PayPal service fees, please pay by check/U.S. bank draft or direct deposit when possible.

As we continue to expand and grow the NCF-Envirothon program, please consider an additional donation of \$200 to help support the future development and sustainability of the program. Donations of any amount are greatly appreciated and will help to strengthen this wonderful program. With a donation of \$200 or more, your state/provincial/partner nation Envirothon program will be recognized as a supporting organization on the NCF-Envirothon website.

Thank you for your continued support of the NCF-Envirothon program!

Sincerely,

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