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October 24, 2013

Ms. Sarah A. O'Donnell
CPRP, Director of Development
Cosley Zoo/Cosley Foundation
1356 N. Gary Ave.
Wheaton, IL 60187

Dear Sarah:

Congratulations! I am pleased to inform you that your grant application has been selected for funding. This year it is being funded through a donor-advised fund instead of the Community Needs Grant Program. As part of our Community Needs Grant Program process, the Foundation regularly offers our donor-advisors the opportunity to review the grant applications that we receive. We do this in an effort to inform local donors about the needs in the community, to introduce them to the many organizations which apply to us, and to engage donor-advisors in helping us boost the level of grant support that is provided through our grant process. In several cases, donor-advisors have expressed interest in providing funding of a grant application.

This year, in response to your grant application submitted in September, the donor-advisor recommended a \$2,500 grant from the Conrad and Doris Brassine Charitable Fund, a donor-advised fund of The DuPage Community Foundation, to support the development of Animal and Nature Education Boxes to be used as curriculum tools and resources in the areas of science relating to animals, nature and worldwide conservation.

Even though you're receiving the grant now through a donor-advised fund versus our Community Needs Grant Program, we hope you will still consider attending our Grant Distribution Open House on December 4. An invitation will be sent out at a later date.

If you publicize this grant, please list it as a donation from the Conrad and Doris Brassine Charitable Fund of The DuPage Community Foundation. Also, if you wish to send a thank you to the donor-advisor, you may send it to us and we will forward it.

Please sign and return this letter to indicate 1) that there have been no changes in your organization's IRS status; 2) your agreement to the terms of the grant; and 3) that all funds will be spent for charitable purposes.

In addition, your organization confirms 1) that this grant does not fulfill the payment of any pledge or other financial obligation, 2) that no goods or services of value will be provided to the

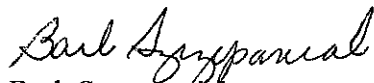
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donor or to the Foundation as stipulated by Internal Revenue Service regulations and our agreement with the donor, and 3) that, in compliance with Executive Order 13224 and the Patriot Act, no funds provided by The DuPage Community Foundation will be used to support terrorist activity nor to promote or engage in violence, terrorism, or bigotry.

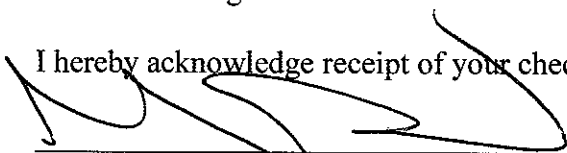
On behalf of the donor-advisor and The DuPage Community Foundation Board of Trustees, I am pleased to forward this grant and hope it will further your mission. If you have any questions regarding this grant, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,



Barb Szczepaniak
Director of Programs

I hereby acknowledge receipt of your check for \$2,500 and agree to the terms of the grant.

 Secretary Ashley Farnon 10/29/13
Signature Title Date

Enclosure