

ELLSWORTH OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB

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City Attorney's Office
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Dear Council Members:

The Ellsworth Officers' Spouses' Club (EOSC) is writing this letter in regards to the upcoming Community Days held at Rushmore Mall. Our club would like to participate in the Community Days on September 24th and October 29th, by displaying our annual raffle quilt and giving members of the community a chance to win this beautiful quilt.

The EOSC is a non-profit organization. Every year members of the EOSC handcraft a quilt, which is featured at our annual charity auction in November. All proceeds from the raffle of this quilt as well as our auction are then put back into both our local community as well as our local military community. Our largest endeavor is supporting the dependants of our military members in higher education through our club's scholarship program. Last year alone we distributed \$12,000 in scholarships. We also full-heartedly believe in giving back to the community that supports us. We make considerable donations both on-base and off- to charitable organizations that support the well-being of not only our military families but also the families of the community in which we live.

This year's quilt contains a collection of photographs celebrating the history of Ellsworth Air Force Base from the 1940s to present day. The quilt is valued at \$1500 and I have taken the liberty to include a photo of the quilt for your viewing. Tickets will be sold at a donation of \$2/ticket or 7 tickets for \$10, with the drawing to be held the night of the auction, November 4th, 2005. The winner does not need to be present to win. The quilt will be delivered by hand or by mail to the winner.

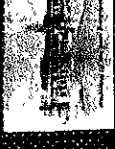
On behalf of the Ellsworth Officers' Spouses' Club, I'd like to thank you for considering our request. Please let me know if you have any questions. I can be reached during the day at 718-5874.

Sincerely,

Sherry Kristof
Auction Co-Chair/Auction Quilt Coordinator



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