Dear Sir or Madame,

*2010 United Way of Larimer County Spirit of Giving Award*

*2009 Fort Collins Housing Authority Soul of the City Award*

*2008 Colorado Coalition Against Domestic Violence Exemplary Organization Award*

*2007 The Coloradoan  
Best in Business Award  
“Nonprofit of the Year”*

*2006 Affordable Housing of Larimer County   
Agency Recognition Award*

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**Crossroads Safehouse** will proudly celebrate its longstanding service to victims of domestic violence at its ***31st Anniversary Gala*** to be held at the Fort Collins Hilton on **Saturday, November 5, 2011.**

**We would be honored if you would contribute to the success of our anniversary celebration by donating an item for the live or silent auction segment of our event.**

The Crossroads Safehouse 31st Anniversary Gala seeks to raise funds so that we may expand and enhance the provision of our services to the thousands of domestic violence victims we serve each year.

In addition to emergency shelter, Crossroads provides an array of other services to the community, including: 24/7 crisis intervention and support, 24/7 response with law enforcement to the scene of domestic violence incidents, individual and group advocacy for women and children, outreach to our schools and youth service providers, legal representation, and transitional housing.

Our Gala, an elegant black-tie optional evening, brings together community leaders and our many friends and supporters in celebration of a shared community commitment to eradicate domestic violence. We would be thrilled for an opportunity to discuss the ***Crossroads Safehouse 31st Anniversary Gala*** with you in person or over the phone, and greatly appreciate your advance consideration.

Since Crossroads is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization, your gift is tax deductible to the full extent allowed by law.

Included for your convenience is a donation form. After completing the form, you may **fax it to (970) 530-2356**. Should you have any questions, please feel free to call Jennifer at **(970) 530-2353** or e-mail at jjones@crossroadssafehouse.org. If I can answer any questions, please feel free to call me directly at 970-530-2353.

Many, many thanks!!!

Cordially,

Vicki Lutz

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