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Mr. Emile Stieffel
 Aurora Catering, Inc.
 5244 General Meyer Ave.
 New Orleans, LA 70131

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Dear Mr. Stieffel:

I would like to personally thank you for your support as a contributor to the 2009 "Make a Difference Day Stand Down." We appreciate you spending the day and help serve the many veterans and homeless of New Orleans at the event. This event was phenomenally successful in helping us reach out to members of the homeless veteran community in a way that has not been possible in the past. These men and women served willingly when they were called to duty, and we are honored to be able to serve them in their time of need.

Your check is enclosed. Your contribution of jambalaya, potato salad, french bread w/butter, house salads, potato salad, coleslaw and cookies made a real difference to the 101 veterans and the 164 homeless men and women served at the *Stand Down*. Because of your generosity, we were able to provide medical outreach, legal and notary services and assistance with social security disability applications. We were able to ensure that these men and women had access to any mental health services they may need. At the end of their visit, they were offered a hot meal and donated clothing, toiletries and shoes.

If you would like more information about this program or other vital Volunteers of America programs, please call us at (504) 482-2130 - or visit our website at www.voagno.org.

Thank you again for joining us in our efforts to reach out to and serve our homeless veterans. All of us at Volunteers of America embrace our community's rebuilding one person, one life at a time – and we couldn't do it without you!

Sincerely,

James M. LeBlanc
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