



October 23,2006

Emile L. Stieffel Aurora Country Club Catering 5244 General Meyer Ave New Orleans, LA 70131-3798

Dear Emile,

It's a Sea Lion Celebration at the 30th Anniversary Chase Zoo-TO-DO!

Audubon Nature Institute is proud to announce the 30th Anniversary Chase Zoo-TO-DOwill be held on Friday, May 4,2007 and will feature the Odenheimer Sea Lion exhibit.

Emile, your tremendous friendship over the years is highly valued and much appreciated. Your past support qualifies you as a <u>Gold participant</u>, with additional benefits awarded to you if you commit to join us again this year as a featured restaurant! As a participating restaurant, you will have the opportunity to showcase your restaurant to our 2,500 influential patrons and sponsors.

The proceeds from the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Chase Zoo-TO-DOwill directly support the restoration of the Odenheimer Sea Lion Pool, a historic Audubon Zoo landmark. Currently, our Sea Lions are living at Moody Gardens in Galveston, Texas. The 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Chase Zoo-TO-DO will celebrate their homecoming, and we want you to be a part of it!

As a featured restaurant, we ask that you donate 1,500 (or more) **3 oz.** servings of your favorite dish. In addition, we have enclosed a Benefits Flyer for your review which features the great opportunities you will receive as a Restaurant Participant. Please take a moment to review and return the enclosed RSVP card to the Chase Zoo-TO-DOoffice. The deadline to become a Chase Zoo-TO-DOfeatured restaurant is March 1,2007.

A committee member will call you in a few weeks to discuss this request. If you have any questions, please call Ann Heslin, Director of Zoo-TO-DŒvents, at (504) 212-5315 or e-mail aheslin@auduboninstitute.org.

The success of the Chase Zoo-TO-DO is dependent upon the support we receive from local specialty vendors that participate in our event each year. We realize you are asked to give to many worthy organizations, and we appreciate your consideration of this request.

Mrs. George R. Cary, III

2007 Chase Zoo-To-Do Chairman

Mrs. Michael G. Favor 2007 Restaurant Co-Chairman

Mrs. Robert M. Hardie 2007 Restaurant Co-Chairman Mrs. Mark Gundlach 2007 Restaurant Co-Chairman

Mrs. Allen M. Kuhn 2007 Restaurant Co-Chairman

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