

## To: Local St. Louis Area Small Businesses & Individuals

My name is Marshelle Woodland. I'm known to many as Motivational Comedian Ms. Woody. I'm the founder of Show Me Enterprise Group, LLC. I started my company to help and heal through laughter. I'm seeking support to have some small events at the end of 2023 and for some major events in 2024. All of these events are fundraising events to help support the End Homeless Mission Movement and all Non-Profit organizations willing to Partner For Change. All will become annual events and will have vendor spaces to support local and/or out of town business owners. Together we can make a major impact for the community through Community Fundraising Events and help each other's businesses grow! The smaller events in 2023 will serve as fundraising efforts to help cover the cost of the major events in 2024. If you want to support as an individual or small business, you can choose a level from \$25 to \$1000 via any of the Show Me Enterprise Group, LLC websites. You can choose to make a purchase, give as a sponsor to receive advertisement of your brand on websites, flyers, banners and merch and/or be a vendor at events. Or, you can make an investment of \$1,000 to \$5,000 to get a return on your chosen level at 100% return after the first major event in 2024.

## **SMALL EVENTS FOR THE END OF 2023**

- Fall Concert Series in a small local park or small venue with giveaways via raffle drawings.
- Fall and Winter Comedy Series that will take place at a local venue.

## MAJOR EVENTS FOR THE YEAR OF 2024 AND BEYOND

- The 4rd Annual "Show Me" Juneteenth STL Events for 2024 can be held at a local park or large venue.
- A \$100,000 Comedy Competition & Festival at the St. Louis Convention Center.
- A Guinness World Record attempt at the St. Louis Dome.
- A Stand, Walk, Run or Roll 5K Event in 20224 can be held at any STL park or on the streets of areas that can be blocked off.

The "Show Me" Juneteenth STL events took place at Harris-Stowe State University in June of 2021 over a 2 day weekend and we returned in 2022 for an end of the month celebration. Our 2023 "Show Me" Juneteenth STL events took place over 4 weeks at 3 locations in the St. Louis area. We had two events at Skate King, two events at Real World Banquet Hall and an outdoor concert at Better Family Life. The plan is to take those events to the next level in a much bigger space like the STL Arch Grounds or a large park. The Comedy Festival & Guinness World Record attempts are mass participation events in comedy. These events will bring world-wide exposure to our city because it includes a Guinness World Record attempt and is a Community Fundraiser to combat homelessness. The goal is to fill the St. Louis Dome to capacity for a comedy world record. The Convention Center will be our location for comedians to have their Meet & Greets, have workshops and other entertainment. This will be a great opportunity for over 400 vendors! I have the approval to have these two events at those locations but a deposit is needed to lock in the dates. Your help is needed to lock in 3 dates over a weekend in August of 2024 for the main events of the Comedy Festival and Guinness World Record attempt. These events will help worthy causes and help our city heal through laughter. This is just one way of bringing a solution to some of the major issues in our city. Like, raising awareness and funds to bring down the Homeless Numbers, Mental Illness and Crime in our city. We can Pay-It-Forward by having raffle drawings for 3 to 12 months of rent or mortgage assistance payments with the tickets sold to those attending. Many A-D List Comedians are interested in being hosts for the main events for the Comedy Festival or Guinness attempt. Some are interested in being a host or performer at events planned for Community Fundraisers. Again, your support will help make these events a success in 2023-2024 and beyond. You can request to have a meeting with me for more details.

Thank you for your time.

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