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Since we've last corresponded, the United States Jaycees (Junior Chamber) Foundation has been very busy in continuing to provide assistance to the national organization, as well as state and local chapters, in the areas of training, development and disaster relief.

Some recent projects of note include an annual donation to Leadership Academy and the Ten Outstanding Young Americans Program (TOYA) and disaster relief to Jaycee chapters across the country, listed below, just to name a few!

Wildfires – California Jaycees
Flooding – Illinois, Iowa and North Dakota Jaycees
Hurricane – Houston Asian Jaycees (TX), Hattiesburg Jaycees (MS)
Tornado – Missouri, Alabama and Georgia Jaycees Tornadoes
Gulf of Mexico Drilling Rig Oil Spill – North Shore Jaycees (LA)
JCI training – Hawaii and California Jaycees

Most recently the Foundation has been able to provide technological support in providing a source for the national organization to conduct Internet Web Conferences for trainings and meetings. The Foundation has also undertaken the major project of moving the Jaycees Archives from Tulsa to their new "home" in St. Louis.

As the Foundation continues its mission, "*Preservation of the Past – Inspiration for the Future,*" enclosed you will find a brochure with more information on how you can support the organization.

Jaycees founder Henry Giessenbier, Jr. stated, "In your hands lies the destiny of a great organization. Let us build it to national recognition... Let us not fail in this task!"

Your support of the Foundation will guarantee that we will not fail at this task and that the mission of the organization will continue for years to come!

Yours in Jaycees,

Raj Nadkarni
Chairman
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