

Dear Karen,

We all know the power of philanthropy—it's why we get up every day to make a difference in our organization and our community! We are so grateful to you for taking part in your AFP Bluegrass Chapter and expanding our chapter's impact.

I'm reaching out to you today, as I have the distinct pleasure of serving as the President-Elect of the AFP Bluegrass Chapter and as the BE the CAUSE Campaign chair for our chapter. As you may know, BE the CAUSE is a program run by AFP Global in partnership with local chapters. It serves as a powerful tool to ensure individuals can continue to grow in their profession and in our community.

A few of the areas that BE the CAUSE directly impact locally are:

- Providing Scholarships (Chamberlain for ICON, local for young professionals and small nonprofits, etc.)
- Empowering our IDEA (Inclusion, Diversity, Equity, and Accessibility) efforts, including the launch of our new committee
- Research into best practices, current trends, and other tools that help us do our jobs better for those we serve
- Live and pre-recorded webinars and educational opportunities

As the BE the CAUSE chair, I would invite you to join me and the entire AFP Bluegrass Board in our efforts to ensure we can continue to provide quality programming, scholarship opportunities to our members, and impact on our communities.

I invite you to make an impactful gift—whatever that may look like to you—so we can continue to be the premier organization in the bluegrass that supports professional development and empowers the philanthropy profession for generations to come!

We are so grateful to those who have already generously given this year and invite you to join us by going online and giving at https://afpglobal.org/donate.

Thank you for all you do to support your colleagues, your chapter, and the AFP Foundation.

Gratefully, Wesley Scott, CFRE President-Elect AFP Bluegrass

P.S. If you would like to learn more about your impact or further discuss BE the CAUSE please click <u>here</u> or give me a call at 217-371-7177.

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AFP Bluegrass Chapter is an organization of fundraising professionals in central and eastern Kentucky. We are committed to improving the practice and profession of fundraising in our area.

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