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Dear SOBA Supporter:

The Ohio Department of Natural Resources and the state of Ohio is hosting the [35th Annual SOBA Education and Training Symposium](#). The 2022 Symposium is being held in Cleveland, Ohio at the Hilton Downtown Cleveland, August 29 – September 1, 2022. This symposium brings together state and federal officials from around the country that work to provide public access for boating on America's waterways.

One of the symposium activities will be a silent auction, which will be held to benefit the [Lacey Nichols Educational Fund](#). This fund provides assistance to eligible individuals who otherwise would not be able to participate in SOBA's education and training programs.

To benefit this fund we are soliciting donations of items that can be included in the silent auction. As a donor to this event, please retain this letter for your tax purposes. Donations to SOBA are deductible under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service code.

We appreciate any assistance, generosity and support of our mission.

Sincerely,

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