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**Montana
Charities Inc.**

Bernie Adams, State Secretary, 5645 Empire Court, Helena, MT **59602-6711**

November, 11, 2024

RE: Montana Knights of Columbus Charities Inc. – 2024-2025 **Green Sheets**

Enclosed are the latest Green Sheet Instructions, 2023-2024 Green Sheet Funds Report, KC Charities Green Sheet for Members and the FS Green Sheet Report Form for Council.

Below are your Instructions for the 2024-2025 Green Sheet giving program:

- 1) Copy the **2024-2025 Knights of Columbus Charities Green Sheet for Members** onto mint green paper, enough for each member in your council.
- 2) Keep the **FINANCIAL SECRETARY REPORT FORM FOR COUNCIL**, do not distribute.
- 3) Distribute to each Knight in your council by mail, by hand or email (including Life Members) a copy of the Charities Green Sheet. (Include with the Council's annual council dues notice).
- 4) Have Knights return the completed Charities Green Sheet for Members with their check to you, the Financial Secretary, during the council's dues collection time.
- 5) Gather all the totals for each fund and list it on the Council Green Sheet Report Form.
- 6) Send **ONE** Financial Secretary Report Form For Council and **ONE** Council check (Payable to **MONTANA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CHARITIES INC.**) for **TOTAL** amount of Council giving by **March 28, 2025** To:

*Bernie Adams, Mt KC State Secretary
5645 Empire Ct
Helena, MT 59602-6711*

- 7) Your councils' charitable giving will be included in the KC State Charities Inc. report at the 2025 State Convention in Helena.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 406-431-9514 or at statesecretary@montanaknights.org

This is a very important activity that benefits so many of our neighbors. Don't forget to thank each Knight for their support of this very important state-wide giving program.

Sincerely,

Bernie Adams, Montana KC State Secretary

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2023-2024 GREEN SHEET FUNDS REPORT

Birthday Club - \$1.00 donation helped with Bishop Austin Vetter of the Diocese of Helena and Bishop Jeffrey Fleming of the Diocese of Great Falls-Billings needs. \$2,000 total from this fund was donated to each Bishop in the amount of \$1,000.

Penny a Day - \$3.65 a year donation. \$1,500 Montana Catholic Social Services Fishing Tournament, \$500 to MCSS Annual Golf Tournament, Prolife Montana \$197 registration fee.

Right to Life – Montana Catholic Social Services - \$5,000, Montana Catholic Conference \$1,000 - donated in 2023-2024.

Past State Deputy Fund – 15% of this fund is available for worthy causes. Councils can apply to the Charities Inc. Board for donations.

Poor Clares – Did you know that these Sisters pray for the Montana Knights of Columbus every day? This is a pass thru fund; what is donated April 1ST to March 30th is given 100% to the Poor Clare's at the State Convention. \$5,270.00 was donated in 2023-2024.

Supreme Wheel Chair Fund – A pass thru fund for this worthy Supreme program. \$3,223.23 was donated in 2023-2024.

Native American Children Association – A pass thru fund. \$3,000 was donated in 2023-2024

K of C Charities, Inc. – Discretionary fund. \$5,000 to Special Olympics Montana, \$1,500 to Montana Hope Project.

***Tootsie Roll Drive** funds to Special Olympics \$5,000 in 2023-2024. Supreme Council donated \$3,050 to the Special Olympics Endowment fund. (Note: This is not a Green Sheet item).

***Montana Hope Project** – Not a Green Sheet giving item but this worthy cause is funded from the Silent Auction at our State Convention. For 2023-2024, we donated \$1,571.00 in monies. Have your Council consider donating a Silent Auction item to the 2025 State Convention. Paid from the Charities, Inc. fund and Penny-A-Day fund.