

May 14, 2024

Dear Prospective Sponsor,

The City of Graham strives to bring truly unique events to Alamance County and would like to invite your organization to play a part. We are seeking to form a sponsor relationship with your business for the fourth annual 9/11 Commemorative 5K Run/Walk Event. This event is being coordinated by the City of Graham's Recreation & Parks, Fire, and Police Departments. We believe your business can play a vital role in making this annual event the perfect way to bring people together and add to community traditions in Alamance County.

This commemorative event invites runners and walkers of all ages to participate in a FREE (donations accepted) 5K. 2024 will be our fourth year for the 5K and the 23<sup>rd</sup> anniversary of remembering the heroes of September 11, 2001. In addition to the 5K, there will be engaging community activities including a non-competitive 1-mile run/walk, music, games, and more! Your sponsorship will help purchase participant t-shirts, cover the costs for participant registration, medals, entertainment fees, and additional expenses. All remaining proceeds will be donated to the Children of Fallen Heroes organization. This organization provides support and immediate needs for surviving spouses and children of First Responders & Military fallen heroes.

Below you will find a sponsorship opportunity to support the event, as well as the benefits. We invite your business to take advantage of the exceptional advertising and promotional opportunity as we strive to increase the profile of your company to our community and to your target market.

**Flagship Level Sponsor: \$5000** (This level of sponsorship will cover the Parachute Jump Demonstration into the event space with the American Flag provided by Children of Fallen Heroes) # Available: 1

# Included for Sponsor:

Exhibit space at the event\* Opportunity to help present the medals to the winners Company logo on participant t-shirt – logo on the top of the back of the shirt Company logo will be featured in advertisements for the Parachute Jump Demonstration Company logo will be featured on a banner by the landing area on the day of the event Large company logo will be featured on a sponsor banner on the day of the event Large company logo and link to website listed on event webpage Name recognized on social media for the event Up to 5 Event Shirts for the Sponsor

Platinum Level Sponsor: \$1500 # Available: 2

Included for Sponsor: Exhibit space at the event\* Opportunity to help present the medals to the winners Company logo on participant t-shirt – sleeve of the shirt Company logo on motivational signage along the route on the day of the event Large company logo will be featured on a sponsor banner on the day of the event Large company logo and link to website listed on event webpage Name recognized on social media for the event Up to 5 Event Shirts for the Sponsor

### Gold Level Sponsor: \$1000

# Available: 6

### Included for Sponsor:

Exhibit space at the event\* Company logo on participant t-shirt – logo on the upper back of the shirt, under Flagship Level Sponsor Company logo will be featured on a sponsor banner on the day of the event Company logo and link to website listed on event webpage Name recognized on social media for the event Up to 2 Event Shirts for the Sponsor

# Silver Level Sponsor: \$500

# Available: Unlimited

# Included for Sponsor:

Small Company logo on participant t-shirt – small logo center back of the shirt Small company logo will be featured on a sponsor banner on the day of the event Small company logo and link to website listed on event webpage Name recognized on social media for the event

# Bronze Level Sponsor: \$250

# Available: Unlimited

<u>Included for Sponsor</u>: Name on participant's shirt Name will be featured on a banner on the day of the event Name listed on event webpage Name recognized on social media for the event

\*Provided by Sponsor (Sponsor is responsible for their own tables, chairs, tents, tarpaulins, and any other needs that may arise.)

If interested, please confirm no later than June 30, 2024 (the invoice will be emailed). Sponsorships can be made by a check payable to the City of Graham or by VISA/MasterCard. We look forward to working with you on the 9/11 Commemorative 5K Run/Walk Event. Thank you in advance for your support of our community and this event.

For more information about sponsoring this event, please contact the Graham Recreation & Parks Program Manager, Emma Griffin, at <u>egriffin@cityofgraham.com</u> or call (336) 513-5510.