

MOOSE LEGION

The Degree of Service

Moose Legion - "ANNUAL FUND RAISING PROJECTS"

Moose Legion Directors and Moose Legionnaires,

June 2011

The International Moose Legion Council formally approved the adoption of a special fund raising project for **2011-2012** fiscal year. We will be raising funds to purchase two more needed passenger vans for Mooseheart along with 21 computers.

The total estimated project cost of **\$87,000.00** is pro rated over the entire International Moose Legion active membership as of April 30, 2011. The Moose Legion Council is asking each Moose Legion to commit \$1.75 per Moose Legionnaire over this current fiscal year period.

The following discount program was also approved:

- Moose Legions completing their total commitment by November 30, 2011 will receive a twenty percent (20%) discount on their share.
- Moose Legions completing their total commitment by February 28, 2012 will receive a ten percent (10%) discount on their share.

Blue Ridge Moose Legion No. 82 has been assigned a project commitment and discounted amount based on the following formula:

Total good standing on rolls April 30, 2011 is $827 \times \$1.75 = \mathbf{\$1,447.25}$.

Total commitment @ 20% discount if paid by November 30, 2011 = **\$1,157.80**.

Total commitment @ 10% discount if paid by February 28, 2012 = **\$1,302.53**.

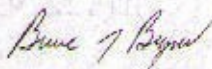
While this is the responsibility of the jurisdiction to raise the funds and complete the program...It is recommended that each Moose Legion *Create Some Interest* by getting the local Lodge Moose Legion Committees involved with the fundraising by establishing monetary goals based on the number of Moose Legionnaires in each Lodge. Enthusiasm and friendly competition can be created through proper promotion of this project.

Funds received for this project from all sources shall be classified as "**M L - Vans & Computers**" under Donations Received in QuickBooks. All checks remitted to International should be made payable to Moose Charities and earmarked "**M L - Vans & Computers**".

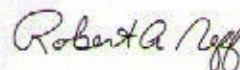
Additionally, as our ongoing program to supply funds for the Youth Awareness Scholarships each year your amount for this program during 2011 - 2012 remains at just fifty cents per member. Therefore based on your April 30th total we ask that you remit to Moose Charities a check earmarked for the "**Moose Legion Youth Awareness Scholarship Fund**" in the amount of: **\$413.50**.

We will continue the Endowment Fund Competition that we hold annually. As part of the criteria to earn the Fraternal Service award, we encourage you to top last year's contributions to this program. That should be your minimum goal for this year. Your jurisdiction's Endowment contributions for last year totaled **\$2,218.52**. Checks should be issued to Moose Charities earmarked: "**Endowment Fund**".

We thank you in advance for all your efforts on these important programs.



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International Moose Legion President



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Director of Moose Legion

