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Dear Community Partner:

ESTHER is an interfaith, nonprofit, justice organization that works to impact areas of poverty and oppression that affect the lives of families and individuals in the greater Fox Valley. We work with people of faith, individuals facing the issues we are working to change, and supportive community partners to act on core values and commit to build a better community for all. A few recent accomplishments in the greater Fox Valley include;

- Successfully worked to keep transit funded through the designated state transportation fund in the 2011-2013 state budget. We also successfully worked to maintain collective bargaining rights for transit workers and maintained federal transit funds for our local community. Public transit builds livable communities...let's keep transit moving!
- Trained more than 100 local leaders to address key issues, engage in public decision-making, and build relationships to act for justice and transform our communities, affirmed by our faith beliefs.
- LUNA, a Latino youth group within ESTHER presented at several events where they had opportunity to share their hopes for higher education and their dreams for the future with the greater community.
- Assisted more than 25 local families in a foreclosure prevention event where more than half of the families received immediate mediation to keep their home.

We are asking that you please consider placing an ad in our seventh annual program book. Our 2011 Annual Banquet is scheduled for Sunday, November 13th. The program book for this event will be used as an opportunity to showcase the valued community partners who share our vision for a more equitable community.

The advertisement you place in the ESTHER annual program book will be distributed to all who attend the banquet and will be available at all member congregations. ESTHER will also distribute these books to community and business leaders throughout the year. Your advertisement is an investment in the work of ESTHER and an opportunity to introduce your business to the community.

The advertisement order form with price list is attached. An ESTHER representative will follow-up with you shortly. We look forward to your support in 2011.

Sincerely,

Gwen Gibson,
ESTHER Leader and President

ESTHER partners with more than 25 faith communities in the greater Fox Valley region.