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May 9, 2024

**Name of Agency or Office:** Indiana Department of Health

**Name of Recipient:** Healthy Hoosiers Foundation

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**Brief Description of Item Solicited, Accepted, or Received and Approximate value of item:**

Lorrie Ramsey directed a charitable gift of \$1,000. Ms. Ramsey was the recent recipient of the Governor and Cheri Daniels School Health Award, a joint initiative between the Indiana School Health Network (ISHN) and Covering Kids and Families (CKF). Further information on the award can be found here: <https://www.ckfindiana.org/indiana-school-health-network-conference/ishn-2023-nominations/>

Ms. Ramsey, who works as a school health contractor with the State of Indiana, has directed her gift to the Healthy Hoosiers Foundation. The funds will specifically support the Foundation's efforts to improve school health programs across Indiana.

**Date of Receipt:** May 2024

**Name of Donor:** Lorrie Ramsey/ Indiana School Health Network, Covering Kids and Families

**Nature of Business Relationship with Agency:** The Governor and Cheri Daniels School Award is a joint initiative between ISHN and CKF. The Indiana Department of Health (IDOH) has contracts and grant agreements in place with CKF. However, the award money is being directed to the Healthy Hoosiers Foundation by Ms. Ramsey.

**State Why Acceptance is in the Public Interest:**

**Direct Impact on School Health:** The gift specifically targets improvements in Indiana school health programs. This means a direct benefit to students through better health

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initiatives, potentially leading to improved attendance, academic performance, and overall well-being.

**Alignment with State Priorities:** School health is an important component of the state's overall commitment to public health and the well-being of its young citizens. Accepting this gift demonstrates support for those priorities.

**Philanthropic Leadership:** Accepting this gift sets a positive example, encouraging other individuals and organizations to support causes that improve public health and well-being.

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