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To: City Council Members
From: Marco Island Area Chamber of Commerce
Subject: Anniversary Celebration
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This year, 2007, The City of Marco Island is celebrating their ten year anniversary. The Chamber of Commerce too will celebrate thirty years of service to the community. The Chamber believes that together we can celebrate these historical events by joining our resources.

A committee was established from various citizens, members from the Chamber and City staff. The committee decided to have a community jazz night instead of an expensive sit down dinner.

We have secured the venue at the Marco Beach Ocean Resort. The Rick Howard Quartet will be the entertainment. The menu for the evening will be a salad station, carving station, pasta station and a dessert station. The cost per person would be \$40 including tax and tip with a maximum of 200 people.

We are asking the City for \$5,000 to help reduce the costs so that we can keep ticket prices affordable. The ticket price could then be \$20 instead of \$40. The Marco Eagle has agreed to donate the advertising and the Chamber will be selling the tickets. The date of the event will be Sunday, April 1st, from 6pm to 9pm.

Any revenue after expenses will be donated to the Marco Island Historical Society for the museum.

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