



April 8, 2019

West Coast Haunters Convention  
8703 SE 43<sup>rd</sup> Ave  
Portland, OR 97222

Dear Potential Donor,

Our annual auction for West Coast Haunters Convention is coming up on May 9th during the costume ball at the convention at Lloyd Center Portland, Oregon. Last year we raised over \$5,500 thanks to the generosity of our bidders and people like you who donated items to our auction.

This year, we're hoping donations total over \$6,500, an amount that will make it possible to raise our grant ceiling to allow for grants for larger needs. For our annual auction, we rely on donated items to help us keep our costs low. That way, more money can go to benefit deaf and autistic kids.

Would you consider donating an item to our auction? We are specifically looking for items that would appeal to people that love Halloween.

Here are our guidelines for auction items:

- Market value must be greater than \$15
- Items must be new or gently used
- Items must be in keeping with Halloween
- Gift certificates are great but including a shirt or small item with it will garner more attention at the auction and increase the sales price.

If you have merchandise or an item that fits these guidelines, please fill out the auction donation form on our website. <http://hauntersconvention.com/silent-auction/>. Physical items are tax deductible, please contact your accountant for details.

Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Chris Davis'.

Chris Davis, Treasurer

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