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On behalf of Children's Trust Fund of Los Angeles County, the Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS), and the more than 36,000 foster youth it serves, a heartfelt thank you is being extended for the participation in the "One Child at a Time" Celebrity Basketball Game on June 23<sup>rd</sup> 2013. The event generated a great deal of excitement, and an overwhelming response and attendance from both celebrities and the community.

Without the World Music Commission's support, much of the fundraising strategy would not have occurred. World Music Commission aided the Trust Fund in majority of the tickets sold and provided child/youth audiences from both the YMCA and faith based organizations throughout Los Angeles County. In addition, the World Music Commission booked celebrity talent for entertainment and garnered much needed support for our foster care initiative from our elected officials! It was great seeing local leadership participate in our annual fundraiser.

Unlike many other non-profit organizations, 100% of all donations received by the Children's Trust Fund go directly to aid our children in the foster system. For 45 years, we have been honored to provide a wide range of services and self- development opportunities for the youth served by DCFS not funded by County, State, or Federal funds.

Again, thank you for caring about our children and their futures. Your involvement played an integral part in helping us continue to raise funds that will make a positive impact on the lives of many at-risk youth. For more information on the programs that our organization provides please visit our website at [childrenstrustfund.net](http://childrenstrustfund.net).

Sincerely,

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