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Hi Debbie,

I am the chair of the San Juan County Democrats, and I would like to participate in the meeting on Aug. 25. If you can send me instructions on how to participate, I would appreciate it.

My main concern is the \$5,000 limit on expenditures if an organization does mini-reporting. Our local party organization uses mini-reporting for a variety of reasons, but the \$5,000 maximum on expenditures is extremely limiting. All we wanted to do this year was to participate in our county fair and to send out a postcard with our endorsements for the general election. But because costs have gone up, especially postage, we can only do one of those two activities and still stay within \$5,000. Do you know when the \$5,000 limit was adopted? If we could find out when that was, then find out how much inflation has increased since then, it would seem we should be able to get the limit raised an appropriate amount. I would hope it could be raised to \$7,500 or even \$10,000.

One other request is that funds transferred from a non-exempt account to an exempt account, or vice versa, not be considered as an expenditure of the originating account. As it is, the transfer and later expenditure have an unfair double impact when the receiving account spends part or all of the funds transferred.

Thank you,
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