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Dear Friend,

We hope you and your company will join us in making a difference by **partnering with us and becoming a Sponsor for Live Out Loud's 10th Anniversary Gala** on Monday, April 25th, 2011 at The **TimesCenter**. Beginning at 6:00pm, our gala cocktail reception, awards program and silent auction bring together a dynamic group of 400-500 leaders in business, arts, politics, community and culture, who are committed to Live Out Loud's mission of empowering Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender (LGBT) youth by providing scholarships, after-school programming, role-models and leadership opportunities

We would be delighted if you could help support the LGBT community and our outstanding youth by participating as a Sponsoring Partner. You will not only gain great publicity, but you will also have the opportunity to network with a wide audience of business and community leaders and a chance to build brand loyalty from a grateful community. At this year's Gala, not only will we once again present scholarships to four high school seniors who have demonstrated considerable leadership in the LGBT community, we are also honoring several highly respected leaders who have had a positive impact on the advancement of our mission.

Since its inception, Live Out Loud has provided more than \$70,000 in scholarship funds to 40 high school students and has presented over 400 after-school programs which connect LGBT youth with outstanding leaders and role models in their community. As a non-profit organization that has emerged as a leader in helping LGBT youth, we need your help to further our goals and to continue to touch the lives of our youth.

Help make our 10th Anniversary Gala a huge success by becoming a Sponsoring Partner. Your support of Live Out Loud will ensure that LGBT youth continue to feel nurtured, supported and empowered so they can become proud, active and contributing members of society. I will be in touch with you in the coming weeks to further discuss your participation in Live Out Loud's 10th Anniversary.

We need your help to give LGBT students the courage they need to Live Out Loud!

Sincerely,

Leo Preziosi, Jr. Founder / Executive Director Live Out Loud