



Texas National Guard Foundation
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Greetings,

The **Texas National Guard Foundation (TNGF)** is proud to be celebrating the 20th year of our Annual Silent Auction. This is our one and only fundraiser each year and it provides us with the means to support our programs and extraordinary needs through the year. Since inception our foundation has raised over \$80,000 for Educational Scholarships and \$36,900 for Texas National Guard events. Our auction will be held during the **65th Annual National Guard Association of Texas (NGAT) Conference** in Round Rock, Texas, March 21-24, 2024, at the Kalahari Resorts & Conventions. The TNGF is a 501c(3) non-profit organization and NGAT is a 501c(19) veteran's organization with over 30,000 members who have or are currently serving in the Texas National Guard.

The Texas Military Department is heavily involved in securing the border to protect against the surge of illegal migrants trying to cross into Texas. The Texas National Guard currently has troops deployed to Bosnia, Africa, and Afghanistan to name a few. Our service members are also ready to support our communities at a moment's notice in case of fire, floods, or other natural disasters or if our communities need domestic support. Your donation allows us to help these men and women who protect the very freedom we cherish. These brave Soldiers have put themselves in harm's way to serve their country and community. It is because of their sacrifices t

Annually we hold a Silent Auction during our conference with proceeds **benefiting the TNGF**. In the past, businesses, and community leaders like yourself, have been most generous in donating products and/or services. In 2023 we fell short of our goal, but we hope our Anniversary year will be a great one. We are striving to reach our goal of \$7,000. With your help I am sure we can reach or surpass that goal.

HOW CAN YOU HELP? Contribute an item to the Silent Auction. Some items that have been donated previously are hotel packages, gift cards, theme baskets, event tickets, electronic equipment, homemade goods & crafts, wine, and spirits just to name a few. **(Please date certificates 3/30/2024)**

TNGF & NGAT are committed to making a difference in the lives of National Guard veterans, Soldiers, Airmen, and their families. Everyone who donates will receive recognition in our Auction Program. Your donation is fully tax-deductible (please check the appropriate box on the donor form, and we will send you a donation letter for your records after the auction). For your convenience, we have enclosed a Silent Auction Donation Form. Please return this form by mail, email, or fax. For your donation to be printed in our bidding brochure, we must receive it by March 15, 2024.

We know you have many choices of organizations to donate to and we can't thank you enough whether you are a 20-year supporter or a new supporter, every bit helps and for that we are grateful. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at tbz@ngat.org or at 512-454-7300. Thank you in advance for your consideration of this request. HOOAH!!

Sincerely,

Theresa Billeck-Zuniga
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TNGF Trustee/Auction Director

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**2024
Silent Auction Donation Form**

Donor Name _____

Organization/Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Telephone _____

E-mail _____ Website _____

Description of Donation Item _____

Estimated Cash Value of donated item \$ _____ Ad Total \$ _____



I would like a receipt for my tax-deductible silent auction contribution.

I am unable to attend the event or donate an item to the silent auction, but I would like to make a cash donation. AMT _____

Please submit this form by March 15, 2024, to ensure inclusion in the Silent Auction Brochure.
Mail a copy of this form with your donation to Theresa Billeck-Zuniga.

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