



# 2019 *Miss* HEART OF ILLINOIS FAIR

Dear local Business:

The HOIF is quickly approaching, and for the first time ever, on **Tuesday, July 16th** many local young women aged 16-21 will be competing for the title of Miss Heart of Illinois Fair Queen. Young girls aged 5-8 years old will also be participating in the Little Miss Pageant.

The Queen is responsible for reigning over this year's fair and her duties include attending the many agricultural competitions that are held, encouraging all of the participants, awarding the ribbons to the contestants and representing our community throughout the year to promote our many agricultural opportunities. The Queen also represents HOIF at the IL Association of Agricultural Fairs Convention in the Miss Illinois County Fair Queen Pageant.

The HOIF Queen Pageant strives to provide an opportunity for young women to gain valuable life and career skills all while serving our community. Putting on the pageant would not be possible if were not for local business' generous support.

Because you may have supported the HOIF in the past, and since this is the inception year of the Fair Queen Pageant, we hope you will consider a donation to the pageant fund and the positive impact it will have on so many young women.

If you are able and willing to donate to the cause, please make all checks to "HOIF Queen Pageant". In the Memo please indicate "HOIF Queen Pageant". You can return checks in the enclosed envelope (if applicable) or send to the HOIF at: 1601 W. Northmoor Rd. Peoria, IL 61614.

Your business name will be proudly displayed in this year's pageant program for all to see, and those attending the pageant will be encouraged to support your local business. In order for the business name to be displayed in the program, donations will need to be received by July 1<sup>st</sup> for printing purposes.

This donation is tax deductible so please keep this letter as documentation of your donation.

Thank you for your support. **We hope to see you at the Heart of Illinois Fair, July 16th – July 21st.**

Sincerely,

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For Your Records: Check # \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ was donated to  
The HOIF Queen Pageant Fund on \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.