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Unity is Strength "ATAUTCHIMUNMUNNIQ SUANJATAURUQ"

Ms. Asisaun Toovak, Mayor
City of Utqiagvik
P.O. Box 629
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Dear Mayor Toovak,

The Native Village of Barrow - Anaktatichirit Committee of Barrow, Alaska is seeking donations to fund the 2024 Annual Fourth of July Games beginning on July 1-4, 2024. For over 60 years, these games have united our community with fun and excitement year after year. It is the intent of the Anaktatichirit Committee to hold these games and make it a spectacular Independence Day Celebration.

These games are an annual event held each year during the Independence Day Celebration uniting a majority of our community members. Sobriety, Unity and Competition are reasons why the Anaktatichirit Committee wishes to hold these games. From the Barbeque Stands, Traditional Parade, Traditional Skin Boat Races, Gunny Sack Relay Races, Egg Toss, Nail Pounding, Claire Okpeaha Memorial Marathon, Top of the World Baby Contest, Miss Top of the World Teen & Queen Contests, Eskimo Dance Performances and many other events, our Committee will be honored to highly recognize the City of Utqiagvik for support during these games on a daily basis.

The Anaktatichirit Committee has confidence in the City of Utqiagvik. Your sponsorship will aid and benefit our community as a whole and will bring excitement and happiness over the Independence Day Celebration. The annual cost to hold these games is approximately \$35,000.00. We hope that the City of Utqiagvik will sponsor these games by sending us your donation. I may be reached at 907-887-3283 or email frieda.kaleak20@gmail.com if you have any questions regarding a generous donation.

Thank you in advance for supporting our Inupiaq Culture & Traditions in the Community of Barrow. Your donation will be appreciated and highly recognized by our Committee. May there be joy and happiness with you, your employees and their extended families during the Independence Day Holiday Celebration.

Respectfully Submitted,

Frieda Moore, Volunteer
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