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Welcome. . .

Ladies of Nebraska Masons, Masonic Widows and Special Guests,

I want to extend a special invitation to you to join your gentlemen in attending the 155th Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. of Nebraska. We would be very pleased to have you join us!

Following is some information you may find helpful when determining your needs for the weekend.

All lunches, dinners, and meetings will be held in the Younes Conference Center. Attached to either side of the Younes Center is the lodging: Fairfield Inn & Suites and the Hampton Inn. We also have a room block at the Wingate Inn. These lodging facilities include a full hot breakfast and each room has a refrigerator and microwave/coffee maker.

The hospitality suite will be located on the first floor of the Fairfield Inn. As of this printing, the hours for the hospitality suite have not yet been determined. You will receive more information on those hours in your registration packet upon arrival. We hope that you will join us there, as you feel comfortable, for visiting and socializing.

The attire for the Grand Master's Banquet on Thursday evening will be formal.

The Public Opening will be held Friday morning. Dress is business attire - dress or pantsuit. Dignitaries and their guests will be introduced.

The "Beary" Special Ladies Luncheon will be held Friday at noon. I invite you to bring a new teddy bear or stuffed animal to join you at the luncheon. Following the luncheon, the bears and stuffed animals will be collected and given to the Shriners Hospital in Minneapolis for the children to receive following their surgery. Home of the Brave Quilt Project will be the featured program.

Following our luncheon, the afternoon is free for the ladies. I suggest visiting the Museum of Nebraska Art (which is free), The Great Platte River Road Archway spanning I-80, shopping, or joining us in the hospitality room.

Friday evening is the General Membership Banquet. Dress is business attire - dress or pantsuit.

Saturday morning following breakfast on your own, we will meet informally at 10:00 for some unique entertainment and fellowship, location yet to be determined.

If you have any questions or need anything during your stay, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thanks for visiting with us! See you soon!

Susie