To All Virginia Lions Clubs,

As you probably know by now, the Lions of Virginia State Convention has been cancelled for this year. The LOVF Raffle, traditionally held at the convention, HAS NOT BEEN CANCELLED! LOVF is legally obligated to hold the raffle and winning tickets will be drawn on the scheduled day, May 17, 2020. As we are obligated to pay out $11,000 in prize money, we need your help more than ever. First, if you have ticket books to sell, please sell them. Every book sold will help us cover our financial exposure. Second, please remit all sold ticket stubs, with accompanying payment, no later than May 1, 2020.

We are utilizing the LOVF District Representatives as collection points for the sold tickets, as they are most familiar with the clubs in their areas. The Reps are:

- 24-L (old 24-C) – Mary Beth Schwab
- 24-L (old 24-A) – Charles Carroll
- 24-C (old 24-E) – Deborah Chaffin
- 24-I (old 24-B) – Ray Mueller
- 24-I (old 24-D) – Pat Kerr

We realize that clubs are in different situations and may utilize different methods to get their tickets to the District Reps. Direct drop off, delivered by another person who is “heading that way”, U.S. Postal Service, or other. The important thing is that they get to the District Rep, not the manner in which they get there. Should your club choose to utilize the U.S. Postal Service, keep you receipt for the postage charges. You can submit the receipt to me and you will be reimbursed.

As always, the booklets which you are turning in should remain stapled. Please do not pull out the staples! Also, payment needs to accompany the booklets which you are turning in. If payment does not accompany the submitted booklets, those tickets will not go into the drum. We also ask that you minimize the number of checks covering the booklets which are being turned in. Ideally, there is one club check to cover your submission (as opposed to separate checks from individual Lions buying a book).

I thank you in advance for your assistance and support in bringing this raffle to completion during these trying times. Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

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LOVF Raffle Ticket Check-off Sheet

_____ Collect all sold ticket stubs
_____ Collect all monies due for sold tickets
_____ Leave ticket stubs stapled
_____ Write (one) check to cover ticket sales
_____ Pack ticket stubs and check together
_____ Send stubs and check to LOVF District Rep. by May 1st
_____ Mission accomplished. Breath sigh of relief
_____ Check LOVF website on May 17th to see who won!