

Illinois Rock & Roll Museum on Route 66 P.O. Box 1251 Joliet, IL 60432

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Dear City Council,

I am writing to you to request your consideration of donating gear that has been taken out of service in the cable room.

Now, with the new cable room up and running there is some legacy gear left behind. This includes older technology like video cameras that require videotape to record, the road case loaded with live switching gear, and related cables and stands, (4 video cameras, road case with switcher and related roles of cable for cameras to road case and camera stands).

This gear will no longer be used and has not been used in a few years. The old technology would be repurposed in the Illinois Rock & Roll Museum's Educational Center located in the lower level of the Museum Building. Where we will be teaching students of all ages.

The Museum also works with two local colleges by offering a learning experience for interns and by connecting our students with two of the states best digital music, radio and video production courses located at Joliet Junior College and University of Saint Francis.

Because the Illinois Rock & Roll Museum is a legally registered 501c3 Non-profit organization, there may also be some tax credits available to you by providing these items as donations.

The Board of Directors would like to thank you for your consideration on this matter and would like to invite everyone to visit the Museum for a tour! In the meantime, please visit our website at <a href="https://www.RoadToRock.org">www.RoadToRock.org</a> to learn more about what the Museum is all about.

## **Our Mission Statement:**

The Illinois Rock & Roll Museum on Route 66 is committed to preserving the rich history and contributions of musicians, performers and industry leaders who have impacted the music world and embodied the creative spirit of Illinois. We strive to inform, engage, and inspire our visitors through exhibits and programs that draw upon a diversity of cultures, history, and musical influence.

Respectfully,

Ron Romero

**Executive Director and Founder** 

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