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Donation Request Cover Sheet

Thank you for submitting a donation request to the City of Kotzebue City Council Meeting. Please note that the city council meetings are on the third Thursday of each month unless otherwise stated. Donation letters received between council meetings will be reviewed and submitted at the following council meeting. It is encouraged that residents submit donations letters early in advance to meet their deadlines. In addition, it is encouraged that a representative be present at the city council meeting that will review their request.

Organization Name: Alliance for Reason and Knowledge

Address: 145 Marten Dr., Fairbanks, Alaska

Name of Project Lead: Joshua Hadley

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Phone Number: 907-203-2676

Project Title or Event: Earth Day Activates

Requested Dollar Amount: \$500

Brief Description of Project or Event:

The Earth Day Committee in Kotzebue is working with the school (NWABSD) to host an upcycling fair and kick off an information campaign for Spring cleaning

Document Checklist:

- ☐ Cover Letter
- ☐ Annual or Project Budget
- ☐ Audit and W-9
- ☐ Donations or other funding amounts applied for or received
- ☐ Other Supporting Documents



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RE: Earth Day Activates

Dear City Council;

April 16, 2025

Earth Day is next Tuesday April 22, and people from all over the world will be celebrating the day, acting at several points during the week, and some make statements of stewardship all month long. Local member Josh Hadley has asked us to support his efforts in Kotzebue to facilitate some local activities that can make an impact, engage multiple generation, and add value to the city's efforts to be good stewards to the planet and her people.

To facilitate recycling efforts, we are looking to put on an Upcycling Fair where locals can share their ideas for new uses for old things, discuss the history of waste, and start planning an economic development program that moves us towards a zero-waste future. To secure a facility, advertise, and provide refreshments we are requesting \$500 from the city as a sponsor for the event.

We are inspired by Mr. Hadley's initiative and encourage the City to support this forward-thinking community leader in his pursuit of making recycling a profitable part of Kotzebue's regenerative economic future.

Together, we will make a significant difference in Alaska's future.

Sincerely
Robert Shields, Founding member