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Dear valued member,

On behalf of the LaGrange County Chamber of Commerce and our community partners, I would like to invite your business to take part in a special opportunity to rally your employees around a cause that directly impacts our community.

This year marks the 16th annual LaGrange County Power of the Purse and Wallet event, a fundraiser dedicated to fighting food insecurity among students in all LaGrange County school corporations. To date, this event has raised more than \$250,000, helping ensure that local children have the food they need to learn, grow, and thrive.

While the event itself is a community tradition, its success has always depended on local businesses stepping up, not just through donations, but by encouraging their teams to get involved. This year, we're inviting you to challenge and engage your employees in supporting this important cause too.

Here are some ways your business and employees can participate:

- Launch an employee giving campaign and offer a matching gift to double their impact.
- Host an office raffle or fundraiser and donate the proceeds.
- Send a team to the event, purchase an auction item, and raffle it off at work.

By engaging your employees, you not only multiply the impact of every dollar raised but also strengthen your company culture, demonstrate leadership, and show your commitment to the future of LaGrange County's students.

We would love to partner with you to make this year's event the most impactful yet. Please feel free to contact the chamber at **260-463-2443** or **ian@lagrangechamber.org** or **sara@lagrangechamber.org** to discuss how your team can get involved. Together, we can ensure that no tummy goes hungry in LaGrange County.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to unite your business and employees in a cause that truly makes a difference.

Sincerely,

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