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Dear Ms. Gehrke:

Thank you for your generous gift of \$500.00 to the Hurricanes of 2008 (Gustav, Hanna, Ike and the upcoming hurricanes of the season) on Friday, October 24, 2008. Donations from caring individuals like you enable us to help people in times of crisis, no matter when or where disaster strikes. We greatly appreciate your kindness.

The Red Cross is always among the first to arrive at the scene of a disaster, providing vital goods and services to the victims, including medical and mental health services, shelter, food and clothing. The Bay Area Chapter of the American Red Cross frequently contributes skilled volunteer and paid staff as well as financial contributions to disaster relief operations throughout the country. It is only with your help that these workers have the training and equipment they need to perform this lifesaving work.

We rely on your partnership to ensure that when disaster strikes, we'll be there. Thank you again for helping us to help others. We could not do it without you.

Sincerely,

Harold W. Brooks

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