



Dear Archuleta County Commissioners,

Pagosa Verde LLC requests that Archuleta County sponsor the 2014 Pagosa Verde Symposium with a \$500 contribution to this important economic development event. The county's partnership with Pagosa Verde has contributed to a line-up of presenters and participants that exceeds our expectations.

The county did sponsor the PV Symposium for the previous two years. I will deliver an invoice when requested.

In 2012 and 2013, the Pagosa Verde Symposium brought various experts in the fields of geothermal development and renewable energy to Pagosa Springs. The first PV Symposium was held at the Community Center, but by the second year the event had outgrown that venue. The 2013 PV Symposium was held at the PS Center for the Arts, as the 2014 event will be.

The Pagosa Verde Symposium has resulted in a network of private industry, government agency and public support that allows PV and our county and town partners to find ourselves in our hopeful position today. If you would like to review the previous two years' presenters lists, just let me know.

Cash sponsorships allow us to rent the venues, cater for our guests, and lodge our presenters. Other cash sponsors include: Bank of Colorado, EcoSphere, and Region 9. The TOPS will confirm soon. In-kind sponsors include: PS Chamber of Commerce, Archuleta County CSU Extension, Geothermal Greenhouse Partnership, and Veterans to Farmers Inc.

Thank you, Commissioners. Bentley will contact me with any questions or clarifications needed. I look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,
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