

HILFRED & ESTELLE LEE COMMUNITY CENTER

101 Co Rd 22, Morris, MN 56267

Letter To:

Morris Hockey Association members and supporters

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"Great
moments
are
born
from
great
opportunities"

- Herb Brooks

The Lee Community Center is facing a large number of improvements to continue to provide our community with great memories for years to come.

We are asking hockey association members to support the Lee Community Center so it can continue to provide opportunities to the surrounding area.

Many families in counties surrounding the Lee Community Center gather here for many activities year-round:

- Morris Hockey Association offers varying levels of hockey comprised of 10 teams and nearly 150 players.
- Walking Track: open year-round to the community
- Community sponsored events:
 - Free Skating Events: Spook-n-Skate, Skate with Santa, Open Skate and Open Hockey
 - Community Expo's: Spring Expo and Stevens County Fair
 - Community Events: Post Prom, 4-H events, Safety Day Camp, Relay for Life, Easter Egg Hunt, Baseball Practices, School PE Classes, Circus and Community Meals
 - Individuals and groups may also rent the rink for celebrations, parties and wedding receptions.

The Lee Community Center is currently facing the following major improvements estimating nearly \$250,000:

• <u>Purchasing and Installing a Dehumidification System</u>: This is needed to reduce the humidity in the air which will improve air quality and minimize structural decay. Stevens County has approved roof repair/door replacement contingent on this system being installed.

Estimated Cost: \$95,000

• Replacement/Reskinning of the Boards: The current boards were installed in 1994 and were from Mariucci Area. They have seen years of use which has caused significant wear on the boards.

Estimated Cost: \$50,000

• <u>Government Mandated Replacement of the Cooling System</u>: Environmental laws are now requiring a more environmentally friendly refrigerant system to be in place.

Estimated Cost: \$100,000

We would like to thank you for your efforts in raising \$36,000 so far. We need your help to complete these projects and your support is crucial to our efforts. It is estimated this will be a three-phase project that will be completed by 2021.

Thank you in advance for your consideration. All donations are tax deductable through the Morris Hockey Association's 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization.

Please see the other side to fill out the donation form. Your donation is much appreciated!

Fundraising efforts being provided by Morris Hockey Association Board of Directors



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The following contribution levels will be recognized on the donor wall in the Lee Community Center:

Platinum: \$25,000 +

Gold: \$10,000 - \$24,999

Silver: \$5,000 - \$9,999

Bronze: \$1,000 - \$4,999

Blue: \$500- \$999

Donations of any size are appreciated and will help us achieve our goal!

Please make check payable and mail to:

Lee Community Center PO Box 303, Morris, MN 56267

Thank you again for your contribution to improve the Hilfred & Estelle Lee Community Center!