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Hi <FNAME>,

Thank you for supporting SAFE with your membership and passion! Please display the enclosed SAFE sticker proudly and help extend our mission of aviation educator professionalism and pilot safety.

I am writing during this giving season to ask for your tax-deductible gift to SAFE. The generosity of our members—you!—makes our amazing safety work possible and allows us to grow aviation professionalism and safety across a greater population.

As our 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary nears, we can look back with pride on the many SAFE initiatives we have accomplished together. These have become established aviation safety pillars. The new Airman Certification Standards were born at our Pilot Training Reform Symposium in Atlanta in 2011. This led to the FAA/industry collaboration that resulted in the new FAA ACS, which embedded risk management into flight training and grows daily, as seen with the recently released ATP ACS.

Our SAFE Pilot Proficiency Project, created by a team led by Doug Stewart—with a then-brand new Redbird—is now the celebrated safety training darling of Oshkosh every year. This innovative program not only leveraged high-tech tools to improve pilot proficiency, but it was the first nationally recognized program of scenario based training in aviation!

New and exciting programs are “waiting for take-off” at SAFE but need your help. We continue to fund SAFE participation on the ACS committee in DC and the FAA GA Joint Steering Committee—***that is how we got full stalls back into the commercial test!*** Your support keeps our CFI Toolkit App free to all CFIs and DPEs who use it daily. We are also expanding our national online seminar program to bring talented SAFE educators like Patty Wagstaff and Rod Machado to CFIs and pilots across the country. Please help us grow these initiatives!

As FAA Administrator Randy Babbitt said at our Atlanta Symposium, “**You are the movers and shakers of the flight training community,**” and we have some amazing new programs just ahead! Please pick a donation level on the enclosed donor card or give online at [give2safe.org](http://give2safe.org). SAFE exists solely to serve our generous members like you; together we make a difference in CFI professionalism and aviation safety every day! Have a safe and happy holiday season, and thanks again for all you do for SAFE.

Sincerely and gratefully,

David St. George  
Director

