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Dear Friend of Elachee,

Can you believe it? Elachee’s **19<sup>th</sup> Annual Flights of Fancy Benefit & Auction** is right around the corner, planned for **Saturday evening, April 27, 2019** at the Nature Center.

Elachee’s Volunteer Steering Committee is out and about in the community sourcing unique items for the *2019 Flights of Fancy* live and silent auctions. This event has a fun tradition of offering guests a whimsical, eclectic and one-of-a-kind selection of nature-inspired treasures, garden art and décor, and outdoor-themed entertaining items and adventures. Learn more at [elachee.org/flights-of-fancy](http://elachee.org/flights-of-fancy).

**I invite you to donate to the *Flights of Fancy* auction.** Elachee is accepting auction donations now through March 2019. Need ideas? Donate your own creation, offer products/services from your business, buy and donate ‘finds’ that match the auction theme, OR call/email me to share details about others who may want to get involved.

The *Flights of Fancy Benefit & Auction* is Elachee’s sole fundraising event each year, hosted by the Elachee Board of Trustees. Elachee, nestled in one of Georgia’s largest protected greenspaces, is a privately owned and independently operated 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, Tax ID 58-1643768, (see next page).

This event’s lively auctions help raise critical funding for the Nature Center’s innovative environmental education and conservation initiatives. Just in time for Mother’s Day 2019, and college and high school graduations, Elachee’s *Flights of Fancy* guests will have the enviable opportunity to ‘buy local,’ also broadening awareness for the area artists, artisans, retailers and businesses that choose to participate with a donation.

**If your response is, “YES, I’ll Give,” then please do this:** Complete the following Elachee *Deed of Gift* form and attach or return with your donation so we may acknowledge your tax-deductible gift. Deliver to the Elachee administrative office (address below) between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Or, call/email me to coordinate pick-up. Elachee will proudly give you a plug for your donation – at the event and through post-event publicity and donor communications.

Please call me with questions or to explore how you may partner with Elachee to reach your 2019 marketing and community involvement goals.

Thank you, again, for supporting what you value – children, nature education and the environment we all share. If you would like to chat, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Kim Marks  
Director of Development & Communications  
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Internal Revenue Service  
District Director

Department of the Treasury

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Date: **AUG 05 1987**

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58-1643768  
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ELACHEE NATURE SCIENCE CENTER  
PO BOX 2771  
GAINESVILLE, GA 30503-

Our Letter Dated:  
10-85  
Caveat Applies:  
No

Dear Applicant:

This modifies our letter of the above date in which we stated that you would be treated as an organization which is not a private foundation until the expiration of your advance ruling period.

Based on the information you submitted, we have determined that you are not a private foundation within the meaning of section 509(a) of the Internal Revenue Code, because you are an organization of the type described in section 509(a) (1) and 170(b) (1) (A) (vi). Your exempt status under section 501(c) (3) of the code is still in effect.

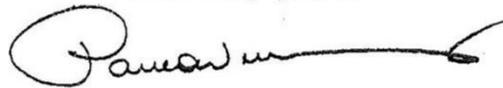
Grantors and contributors may rely on this determination until the Internal Revenue Service publishes a notice to the contrary. However, a grantor or a contributor may not rely on this determination if he or she was in part responsible for, or was aware of, the act or failure to act that resulted in your loss of section 509(a) (1) status, or acquired knowledge that the Internal Revenue Service had given notice that you would be removed from classification as a section 509(a) (1) organization.

Because this letter could help resolve any questions about your private foundation status, please keep it in your permanent records.

If the heading of this letter indicates that a caveat applies, the caveat below or on the enclosure is an integral part of this letter.

If you have any questions, please contact the person whose name and telephone number are shown above.

Sincerely yours,



Paul Williams  
District Director

Letter 1050 (DD/CG)



# Deed of Gift DONATION RECEIPT

## DONOR INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
CONTACT NAME BUSINESS NAME (if applicable)

### CREDIT LINE: HOW TO ACKNOWLEDGE DONATION

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PREFERRED PHONE EMAIL

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MAILING ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

Elachee Nature Science Center (Elachee) is a privately owned and operated 501(c)(3) not for profit organization (Tax ID 58-1643768). Elachee gratefully acknowledges receipt of the item(s) listed below. As named above, I/We the Donor(s) hereby unconditionally give, donate and convey to Elachee for perpetuity the item(s) listed below. Title to the item(s), together with all rights as to their use and disposition, shall pass to Elachee as of the date of execution of the transfer of said material, and its acceptance. The named 'contact' will receive an official acknowledgment for the donation, at the address provided, to use for tax purposes.

## DESCRIPTION OF ITEM(S), INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUE

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## APPROVAL

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DONOR SIGNATURE

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DATE OF OFFICIAL TRANSFER

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ACCEPTED BY: ELACHEE REPRESENTATIVE SIGNATURE