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Dear Business Leader,

On Saturday, May 18, 2013, the **East Bay High School Student Government Association** is hosting the second annual **5K4Q Run** at E.G. Simmons park. The purpose of the event is to raise money for the **Bloomingdale Library Survivor**. This is a cause that is very near and dear to many of the people in our organization, as well as our surrounding community.

It has been nearly five years since one of our own students and SGA members was brutally attacked outside of the Bloomingdale Library. The "Bloomingdale Library Survivor", as she has come to be known, continues to make improvements in her recovery, but the road to a complete return to health is a long and costly one for this beautiful young girl. We have been especially inspired by her story, and while not all of us knew this young woman personally as a student, we feel compelled to help her in any way that we can. As a group we also seek to bring her identity back as a fellow East Bay student, where some of her best memories were made before the attack changed her life forever. It is our hope that this 5K run can raise additional funds to support this Survivor's costly medical care that continues to help her to recover.

We are seeking the support of companies like yours to assist us in making the **5K4Q Run** a success. Your financial contribution will help us buy needed supplies for the event, such as t-shirts, fliers, water and snacks; products donated will be raffled at the event to raise additional funds for the Survivor. Any donation would be greatly appreciated, and we would be more than happy to advertise your company at the event if you wish to provide us with business cards, fliers or a banner.

If you have any questions or would like to make a donation, please contact SGA President Michelle Berland at 5K4QRUN@gmail.com or (813)-364-4655.

Thank you for your time and support.

Sincerely, East Bay Student Government Association