# SAMPLE LETTER FOR LAMB FOUNDATION REQUESTS

DATE

Knights of Columbus, Council # XXX

ADDRESS

Dear Council Members,

Thanks to the continued support of Knights of Columbus Councils across West Virginia, Special Olympics is proud to say we now serve nearly 4,000 athletes, including #### athletes in XXXXX County.

Your council’s gift to Special Olympics XXXXXX County will help to provide sports training and competition opportunities for athletes in your area, including equipment, uniforms, travel expenses to state level competitions, and sports facility rentals. Special Olympics athletes are never charged a fee to participate, so your financial support is vital!

Special Olympics strives to provide children and adults with intellectual disabilities hope for a healthier, longer, and more fulfilling life through sports training and competition that keeps them engaged in regular physical activity within a structured peer network. Through participation in Special Olympics our athletes achieve goals, build self-confidence and improve their overall health and well-being. We invite the Knights of Columbus to continue their generous partnership with Special Olympics. Our athletes need your support!

On behalf of Special Olympics athletes in your area and across state, we thank you for your long time support of our program. I hope you will include us in your giving this year. Your gift will improve lives of hundreds of people with intellectual disabilities in the XXXXX (county or city) community.

I look forward to working with the Knights in Council XXX for many years to come!

All the best,

(Name), Local Coordinator

Special Olympics XXXXXXX County