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Statement from the Board of Directors Commonwealth vs. Michael McDonnell

It is with deep regret that the Council and its contributors find themselves as victims of an extensive fraud scheme. Any discussion of details should come from the District Attorney's office. However, we cannot begin to express our great disappointment in Mr. McDonnell and the effect his actions have had on individuals, co-workers, volunteers and the community as a whole.

The Council would not exist but for the generosity of our private and corporate benefactors. Regardless of the amount of the donation, each contribution goes to those with an identifiable need. For those funds to be diverted to support Mr. McDonnell's personal life style is unconscionable.

The Council has reviewed its accounting of all funds and at this time can assure its contributors that all donations and gifts have been accounted for. If you have any concerns about any gift or contribution made to The Council we encourage you to call our Executive Director, Bev Haberle at 215 345 6644.

The Council wishes to thank the Bucks County District Attorney's office for the amount of time, effort and the professionalism which this unfortunate matter has been investigated.

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