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Sent by email

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Dear Kath (if I may)

Re: Donation to Hampshire and Isle of Wight Air Ambulance

On behalf of Hampshire and Isle of Wight Air Ambulance I would like to thank you most sincerely for the amazing donation of £8,200.00 raised at your recent Come and Sing Event on 16th April. Thank you so much for your support, which is always hugely important.

At the end of 2015 we were thrilled to take possession of our new night capable Air Ambulance helicopter, marking an important step on the way to undertaking emergency missions during the hours of darkness. The state of the art features of this brand new Airbus H135T3 helicopter will allow us to develop further the vital Air Ambulance service that we provide to the communities of Hampshire and the Isle of Wight. I am proud to report that we responded to our first night emergency on the 28th January 2016. Now flying up to 19 hours a day, seven days a week and bringing sometimes life-saving care to people when they need us most, this has meant an increase in the costs of running the service. As a result, the charity now needs to raise over £7,500 per day to keep the Air Ambulance on line, flying and saving lives.

Hampshire and Isle of Wight Air Ambulance receives no funding from the National Lottery, or from the Government for routine operations. The ability of such a young charity to achieve all we have done has only been made possible through the enormous generosity and hard work of all our donors, volunteers and supporters throughout Hampshire and the Isle of Wight.

For more information about Hampshire and Isle of Wight Air Ambulance please visit our website at: www.hiowaa.org or feel free to call Vikki, Sherie or myself on 023 8033 3377 - we are always pleased to help and answer any queries.

Once again, thank you for your support.

Please forgive me for sending this by email but we do not have a postal address. Really so very much for your amazing support. We could not do what we do without it. With very best wishes to everyone involved

Alex Lochrane
Chief Executive

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