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To: STEPCon19 Sponsors

Re: Science and Technology Education Partnership (STEP)

On behalf of the STEP Board and STEP Planning Committees, I writing to thank you for supporting STEP and its various STEM-related programs. Throughout the last 19 years, STEP has been able to reach over 50,000 students and 5,000 teachers, with a focus on underserved students and school districts. Our mission has always been to inspire students to seek educations and careers in science, technology, engineering and math. The long-term success of Inland Southern California, depends upon our building and maintaining a strong, technologically advanced workforce, beginning with our students. Technology brings better jobs and better communities for everyone. We have been able to reach our goals because of the support and commitment from companies, foundations and individuals like you, our STEP Partners. We are making a difference with each STEP Conference, which actively engages at no cost to the participants, over 5,000 area students and several hundred math and science teachers annually in exciting STEM learning experiences.

STEPCon19 will take place on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 1 through October 3, 2019 at the Bourns Technology Center located at 1200 Columbia Ave, Riverside, CA, 92507. Also, in partnership with Riverside Unified School District and the City of Riverside for the fourth year, STEP will offer this July, at no cost to over 180 high school students, three one-week career-focused summer learning labs, STEM in Policing, STEM in Fire Fighting/EMT and STEM in Public Utilities. The students will earn five elective credits by working in teams to develop and present ideas for using STEM to improve the safety and effectiveness of our first responders and public servants.

The financial support from our STEP sponsors is particularly needed during this time of reduced education budgets, while the number of under-served students and districts is higher than ever, because of our area's rapid population growth. Included are a Sponsorship Form and Sponsorship Benefits Matrix for your consideration. We hope we can count on your support for STEP and our STEM education programs again this year.

If you have any questions, please call +1-708-526-8781 or email to step.stem@gmail.com.

Again, thank you for your continued support of STEP.

Sincerely,

Gordon Bourns
STEP President and Chairman



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