Telethon Volunteer Recruitment Communication March 2019

Subject: Volunteers NEEDED! Spread the Word**.** #NebraskaStrong Drive for Flood Relief (Friday 03/22/2019)

I am so pleased to announce that the American Red Cross in Omaha has partnered with KETV, Nebraska Broadcast Assn, and the State of Nebraska to hold a statewide on-air **Telethon,** Friday, March 22nd from 5:00 AM to 11:00 PM to help raise money for those affected by the **NE Floods.**

WE HAVE A DIRE NEED FOR VOLUNTEERS to come help assist with this. We will need 30 volunteers to man the phones every hour during the Telethon, the turnaround time is extremely fast.  The plan is to have everybody commit to at least one **two-hour shift**, between 5:00 AM to 11:00 PM. Please plan to arrive 15 minutes prior to the start of your shift.

The following shifts are available for signup:

5:00 – 7:00 AM 7:00 – 9:00 AM 9:00 – 11:00 AM

11:00 – 1:00PM 1:00 – 3:00 PM 3:00 – 5:00 PM

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Volunteers will have call scripts for answering the phones and we may need somebody at the sign-in table and to assist with counting the donations, so we can provide feedback throughout the day.  It is going to be insanely busy and FUN, so any and all help that can be provided will be greatly appreciated.

To sign up for a shift, please email Barby Clark at Barby.Clark@redcross.org. Once you have been registered, you will receive a confirmation e-mail with all the details.

Thank you in advance for your support.