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RE: Minaake Awards Silent Auction Donations

We are seeking your support for auction items for the fourth annual **Minaake Awards** to benefit the Native Women's Resource Centre of Toronto (NWRCT). The Minaake Awards is Toronto's inaugural Aboriginal Women and Youth's Community Achievement Awards and will be presented on October 27th, 2016.

In Ojibwe, "Minaake" means *people who are on the good path*. This event brings the community together to celebrate local Aboriginal women and youth who have made positive changes in their lives, made significant contributions to their communities, and are an inspiration to others. In addition to celebrating the women and their progress, 100% of the event proceeds will support core services at the Centre.

We would like to ask you, **as an individual artist, or organization, to donate an item for our silent auction**. As a silent auction donor, your brand will be seen by over 200 local business Professionals, community leaders, academics, and supporters. Please include any marketing material, brochures, and relevant details about the donated item or service, for NWRCT to include an accurate description for potential bidders.

If you are interested in providing a donation, please contact Hanna Gibot, Development Assistant at (416) 963-9963 ext.206 or at Volunteer@nwrct.ca. Donations will be subject to Minaake Awards Committee approval but we greatly appreciate the support from all donors.

We thank you for partnering with us in supporting Aboriginal women and families in our community.

Nia:Wen/Miigwetch/Thank you,

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