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To: Jeff Bowyer  
Illinois District Board of Directors  
Illinois District House of Delegates

From: Terry Ludwig and Tim Pashon  
Co-VP Music and Performance

Gentlemen,

We would like to thank the Illinois District for asking us to be the Co-VP's of Music and Performance. It is a position that we do not take lightly. It is our honor to serve you.

On February 22<sup>nd</sup> we held the 2014 version of IDAH in Bloomington and it was a HUGE success. We were able to bring in some wonderful faculty to teach over 150 students. Among these students were 9 quartets, a chorus and 30 youth that comprised our first ever Youth Chorus! A big thank you to all our faculty and especially After Hours. Because of the wonderful turnout this year we were able to net a profit for the school.

Plans are already underway for IDAH 2015. We are proud to announce that we have already confirmed After Hours and Vocal Spectrum for faculty members and there will be more surprises to come! There will be more information available at the Spring Convention. Registration for returning students will start sometime in the summer and pre-registration for everyone else will begin at the Fall Convention.

In other news, we are looking at holding some FALL quartet coaching opportunities in conjunction with the QCA. More information will be passed along as it becomes available.

Finally we are looking at the possibility of reintroducing the Standing Ovation Program in some form. Again, more information as it become available.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Terry Ludwig and Tim Pashon