

# west suburban symphony

November 2022

Dear Business Owner,

I'd like to offer you the opportunity to raise your profile with suburban Chicago customers by donating goods or services to be auctioned in support of the West Suburban Symphony Society. The Symphony Society operates a community orchestra and chorus that perform in DuPage County.

On March 4, 2023, we will hold our annual fundraising event as a combination live and on-line auction. Our last in-person fundraiser raised over \$7,000 from financially successful Chicagoland residents, and our goal is to raise \$10,000 in 2022.

Please consider donating an auction prize for this event: the proceeds will help us keep ticket prices affordable and make classical music accessible to broad audiences.

- To donate merchandise, contact us at 630-995-5030 by February 11, 2023.
- To donate a gift certificate, mail it to the West Suburban Symphony, PO Box 565, Hinsdale, IL 60522 – or email it to [finance@westsubsymphony.org](mailto:finance@westsubsymphony.org) -- February 11, 2023.

The Symphony Society is a 501(c)(3) organization that brings the best in classical music to suburban residents in convenient locations, at affordable ticket prices, and promotes music appreciation in children.

Details on the Symphony's tax-exempt status are provided on the next page. Thank you for considering this request.

Cordially,



Richard L. Lukes, President  
West Suburban Symphony Society

## INFORMATION FOR DONORS

The Internal Revenue Service designated the West Suburban Symphony Society as a 501(c)3 organization on April 14, 1993. A copy of the designation letter is available upon request.

The Society's federal tax ID number is 36-3776307.

The Society annually files federal tax form 990 for non-profit organizations, and its returns may be viewed at <https://www.guidestar.org/profile/36-3776307>, along with additional information about the Society. The Society has qualified for Guidestar's Silver Seal of Transparency.

Reproduced below is the Society's current exemption from Illinois sales tax, based on its not-for-profit status.

OFFICIAL DOCUMENT	State of Illinois - Department of Revenue	OFFICIAL DOCUMENT
<b>Illinois Sales Tax Exemption Certificate</b>		
WEST SUBURBAN SYMPHONY SOCIETY		
PO BOX 565 HINSDALE IL 60522-0565		
<b>Sales Tax Exemption Certificate</b>		
<b>Issue date:</b> 09/14/2018	<b>Sales Tax Exemption</b>	<b>E99504650</b>
<b>Expiration date:</b> 10/01/2023	<b>Organization type:</b>	<b>Arts and Cultural</b>
This entity is authorized under the Retailers' Occupation Tax Act to purchase tangible personal property for use or consumption tax-free.		
		 Director
OFFICIAL DOCUMENT - DO NOT DESTROY		

WEST SUBURBAN SYMPHONY SOCIETY

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