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Dear TBS Member,

As you know, the Texas Bluebird Society is committed to the dream of "*Bluebirds Across Texas...one nestbox at a time,*" and we are growing ever closer to recognizing that dream. With the help of caring individuals – like yourself – we have been able to build and maintain nestboxes that have become so crucial to the survival of this beloved songbird in our state. ***What's just as important is that, together, we have shared with fellow Texans the beauty, wonder and enjoyment of bluebirds.***

This year, Texas Bluebird Society will proudly host the 2006 North American Bluebird Society Convention ("*Red, White & Bluebirds*") in San Antonio on April 26-30. The convention will serve as a time of education, encouragement and entertainment for bluebird lovers and nature conservationists from across North America. There are many field trips, workshops and presentations on the agenda, including speakers M. David Luneau (Ivory-Billed Woodpecker), and keynote speaker Dr. Gary McCracken ("*Bats Attack Insects Over Texas: Billions Perish*").

As someone who is dedicated to the cause of bluebird conservation, I know you will want to take advantage of another opportunity to make a difference. TBS is in need of sponsors to help fund this exciting convention. ***Your tax-deductible donation of \$100 or more will go a long way in underwriting the cost of this great event and in helping to promote bluebird conservation.*** As a convention sponsor, you will be directly impacting current and future generations' enjoyment, understanding and preservation of bluebirds. If a financial contribution is not possible, we are also in need of donated items for our silent auction. Whether you have personal means to contribute, and/or know of a local business who would be willing to sponsor or donate auction items, please consider taking part in this unprecedented event.

If you have any questions concerning sponsorship, or would like to make arrangements to donate, please contact me by ***February 26, 2006*** via e-mail at [Pauline@NABS2006.com](mailto:Pauline@NABS2006.com) or phone at 512.268.5678. Contributions may be mailed to:

Texas Bluebird Society/North American Bluebird Society 2006 Convention  
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Thank you in advance for your support of bluebird conservation and the 2006 North American Bluebird Society Convention!

Yours,

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