

# **Strand Theatre Shelbyville, Inc.**

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## **Open Letter to the American Red Cross**

Written by David on February, 23 2010

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February 23, 2010

American Red Cross  
441 East 10<sup>th</sup> Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

RE: Haitian Relief Fund

Dear American Red Cross,

It is with great pleasure that the Strand Theatre of Shelbyville, Inc makes a donation to your Haitian Relief Fund. The Strand is a not-for-profit performing arts center in Shelby County and serves a variety of purposes for our community. After the news reports of the devastation in Haiti a local advocate, Sara Chappela, contacted us about hosting a benefit concert for Haitian Relief. Sara coordinated all the talent and marketing for the event. She did an outstanding job with this wonderful concert.

On Saturday February 20<sup>th</sup>, the Strand hosted the relief concert. A very generous and enthusiastic audience participated in the event. The Strand provided our facility at no charge. The concert was a good way for people to express their sadness and grief over events in Haiti. That was demonstrated by the energized performances on our stage, and the generosity of our audience.

Please accept this check in the amount of \$965 from the citizens of Shelby County.

Sincerely,  
STRAND THEATRE of SHELBYVILLE, INC.

David M. Finkel  
Director