# Directorate of Morale, Welfare, and Recreation US Army Garrison-Xxxxx Xxxxxx

SOP 1-0-46 01 November 2008

#### MORALE, WELFARE, AND RECREATION, SALES AND MARKETING REQUESTING MWR SPONSORSHIP SUPPORT Standard Operating Procedures (SOP)

- 1. PURPOSE. The purpose of this SOP is to establish steps in submitting MWR Sponsorship Requests to the MWR Sales and Marketing Office and receipt of said sponsorship (enclosure 1).
- 2. APPLICABILITY. This SOP applies to MWR managers and points of contacts (POCs) that need sponsorship for MWR activities and events. Commercial sponsorship when secured is reserved for MWR activities and events. Non-MWR activities and events are excluded from this support.
- 3. SCOPE. This SOP establishes procedures for requesting sponsorship support for MWR activities and events.
- 4. GENERAL. This SOP to outlines the steps MWR managers/event points of contacts must take to ensure the full support of the MWR Commercial Sponsorship Coordinator for MWR events. The MWR Commercial Sponsorship Coordinator will make every attempt to receive the amount of sponsorship requested. Sponsorship is designed to support your event by absorbing some of the cost, but it is not designed to totally cover the costs of your event. Failure to follow the steps outlined in this SOP will result in the limited capability or denial of sponsorship support

#### 5. PROCEDURES.

- a. The MWR POC requesting sponsorship must completely fill out the Sponsorship Request form, and have it signed by the MWR manager, if applicable. The completed form is due to the MWR Sales and Marketing office no later than 120 days prior to the event. If the manager/POC fails to get the request to the Commercial Sponsorship Coordinator 120 days prior to the event, the Sales and Marketing Director may deny the request. Disputes may be addressed to the Chief of NAF Resource Management.
- b. All sponsorship requests are to be sent directly to the MWR Sales and Marketing Office, ATTN: xxxxxxxx. Once xxxxxxxx receives the request, xxxxxxxx will set up a time and date for a meeting to go over what type sponsorship the event requires, the Sponsorship regulation (enclosure 2), and to determine the "benefits" sponsors will receive for supporting the event. There must be a balance between what the event will get from the sponsors and the subsequent return on investment sponsors will see from the event. All event sponsorship request forms will then be reviewed b the MWR Sales and Marketing Director.
- c. The MWR Sponsorship Coordinator will then solicit sponsorship for the event, keeping the manager/POC informed of progress. If all requested sponsorship is not acquired, the manager/POC will be notified in a reasonable amount of time to buy the needed items.
- d. The MWR Commercial Sponsorship Coordinator works as the liaison between MWR managers/ event POCs and the Sponsors during the entire solicitation process, as well as during the event. If there is an issue that arises, the Sponsorship Coordinator will be contacted to work the issue with the sponsor.

e. After the activity/event the manager or POC will provide requested feedback to the MWR Commercial Sponsorship Coordinator, to be included in the event After Action Report (AAR).

SOP 1-0-46 Date

4. REFERENCE. AR 215-1

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Chief, NAF Resource Management Division



U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center 4700 King Street, Alexandria, Virginia 22302-4401

January 23, 2006

Dear Mrs. Kidd:

On behalf of the U.S. Army Community and Family Support Center, I would like to thank you and the Association of the United States Army for your excellent support as a sponsor of the Army Family Action Plan program. Your commitment enables us to enhance the well-being of Soldiers and their families. The Association of the United States Army plays an integral part in the success of the program.

Again, thank you for your dedicated support. We look forward to continuing our strong relationship with you and the Association of the United States Army.

"MWR For All of Your Life!"

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Sincerely,

John A. Macdonald

Brigadier General, U.S. Army

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Mrs. Sylvia Kidd Association of the United States Army 2425 Wilson Boulevard Arlington, VA -22201

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#### **Generate Revenue With Social Media**

BLUF: Run sponsored contests on Facebook and generate revenue.

#### How:

- 1. Research the price of holding a Facebook contest through a third party/ platform (there is a large number of companies available for use. If beneficial
- 2. Inquire a company to sponsor a contest for a month. Amount the sponsor would pay is based off= (price of contest+ cost or prize/in kind prize+ cost of marketing contest +our fee)
- 3. Then run contest (assuming rules, prizes, and all other official requirements/steps of a typical online contest conducted) and promote contest to Facebook users and customers on the web.
- 4. Collect money from sponsor and award contest prize.

Example: Fort Riley ran a Facebook contest sponsored by American Airlines. Marketed through information briefs (newcomers, command, FRG, etc.), website and Facebook posts (all advertising was through free channels). The customer was required to read and accept rules & information sharing policy, then had to submit a story no longer than (XX) number of words explaining why your soldier should win a trip to Chicago. All stories were on Facebook under the contest tab and could be read by anyone who wanted which was explained in the rules. Someone in the department would check daily on new stories to make sure all submissions were appropriate. Many stories were submitted and our marketing department narrowed down the best stories to a total of "the top ten". Then we asked (as a perk not written out in the contract) American Airlines if they would like to pick the Winner out of our top 10 stories. American Airlines loved being able to pick the winner because they actually got to read 10 compelling and often emotional stories from soldiers/spouses/family members and pick who they wanted to receive the prize they paid for. So the sponsor got to see exactly who reaped the benefit of their sponsorship. Then complete the proper steps of verification, prize awarding, and execution. (This is one example, we did many more contests like photo contests, stories of predeployment/redeployment favorite meals, and many others based on the sponsor and prizing.)

#### Benefits:

- 1. Generate revenue
- 2. Building sponsorship relationships requiring smaller amounts that may develop relationship in turn leading to large sponsorships.
- 3. Sponsor gets the emotional impact of who they are helping as opposed to just giving money us money and seeing a write up at the end of their sponsorship (I believe this motivates the sponsors to want to help this customer base more equaling more sponsorships)
- 4. Provides sponsorship opportunities for smaller start up businesses or businesses with a smaller budget

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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE ARMY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE NAVY (M&RA)
ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE (MR)

SUBJECT: Commercial Sponsorship Policy

This memorandum provides interim Department of Defense policy guidance concerning commercial sponsorship as delineated in DoD Instruction 1015.10, *Programs for Military Morale, Welfare and Recreation (MWR)*. Paragraph E9.1.1 of the Instruction defines commercial sponsorship as "the act of providing assistance, funding, goods, equipment (including fixed assets) or services to an MWR program(s) or event(s) by an individual, agency, association, company, corporation or other entity for a specific (limited) period of time in return for public recognition or advertising promotions."

Unless a specific waiver to accept commercial sponsorship exists, only authorized DoD MWR programs may accept commercial sponsorship. Non-MWR organizations, including those authorized to operate on DoD installations, may not accept commercial sponsorship. The Military Departments shall ensure that procedures are in effect to comply with this policy. The current waivers to this policy for the Army Family Team Building programs and the Army Family Action Plan shall remain in effect.

The Military Departments shall also ensure that procedures exist for DoD MWR organizations to decline commercial sponsorship offers that do not reflect favorably upon the Department of Defense. In addition, the Military Departments shall ensure commercial sponsors do not obtain personal contact information from attendees at MWR programs or events without the express written consent of the attendee.

DoD Instruction 1015.10 will be revised to reflect this guidance. Please direct your questions to Colonel Michael Pachuta or Mr. James Ellis, MWR Policy Office by telephone at (703) 602-5001 or DSN 332-5001.

Charles S. Abell Principal Deputy



## **Overall Planning Worksheet**

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Past Sponsors:	
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Goal 2:	

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#### **EVENT BENEFITS CHECKLIST**

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Radio commercials
Newspaper advertising
Television
Transit (bus and rail) cards
Metro brochures
Booth
Float in parade
Presence at Opening Ceremonies
Participation in
Volunteer recognition
Golf classic
Banners
Hospitality
Customers
Clients
Staff
Employees
Sampling
Product sales
Audio announcements
On-site signage
Program guide
Public relations
Internet
Sales promotion
Database development
Contests
Premiums
Cross-promotion with other sponsors
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Category exclusivity

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