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Dear Valued Sponsor:

On the behalf of the Steering Committee of the 16th Multidisciplinary Conference on Sinkholes and the Engineering and Environmental Impacts (aka, "The Sinkhole Conference"), I am writing to invite you to become a conference sponsor. The conference will be held on April 20-24, 2020 at the Sheraton Old San Juan Hotel in San Juan, Puerto Rico. We expect this Sinkhole Conference will host 150-200 civil, geotechnical and environmental engineers, geologists, biologists, geographers, planners, developers and government officials who will come from around the world to discuss the latest developments in and the future of our industry. This conference is an excellent opportunity for your business to reach a qualified, targeted audience and expand your markets. There are a limited number of sponsorships available, so each sponsor will receive maximum exposure.

We accept sponsorships on a first-come, first-served basis; therefore, time is of the essence. A quick response will assure the opportunity to showcase your organization during the Sinkhole Conference! The attached sheet explains the levels of sponsorship available, which range from \$500 to \$5,000. All sponsorships are tax-deductible. Your support is important to offering the conference at a price where it will attract a nationally and internationally broad audience, and students who will become the next leaders in karst and potentially your clients for many years to come.

To learn more about the conference in general and register, and to reserve your lodging at the conference hotel, visit www.sinkholeconference.com. If you have any question, please do not hesitate to contact Tyrone Black at tyblack@charter.net or 989-390-8982. We look forward to hearing from you in the near future.

Sincerely,

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