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I am a member of North County Women in Networking (NCWIN), a local women's business league dedicated to our North-County San Diego community and education.

Each year we host a silent auction as part of a fund-raising effort benefiting a scholarship program for California State University San Marcos women. This scholarship fund was founded in 1992 by the original NCWIN members. ***The scholarships are awarded to financially deserving women attending California State University San Marcos, right in our own backyard!***

Thanks to generous donors like you, we have a goal of raising \$15,000 for our annual scholarship fund, and as you can imagine, every penny counts!

It is so rewarding to be able to give scholarships to these deserving women. Most of our scholarship recipients are mothers or wives and work either full or part-time while going to school to try and better their lives and the lives of their families! Our applicants go through a formal application and interviewing process, the stories are amazing and heartfelt; the perseverance in the face of adversity among the applicants is astounding.

We invite you to participate **with a donation to our silent auction**. It is a great way to give back to the local community, while gaining more exposure for your business.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of my request! For further information on making a donation or getting tickets to attend, please contact [president@northcountywomen.com](mailto:president@northcountywomen.com) or visit our website at [www.northcountywomen.com](http://www.northcountywomen.com).

Together we can make a difference!

\*NCWIN is a tax-exempt business league under IRS code 501 (c) (6), although this would not qualify as a charitable contribution, your donation may be considered a promotional/marketing business expense deduction. For more information about NCWIN, please visit our website at [www.northcountywomen.com](http://www.northcountywomen.com).