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Dear LCAHA Board,

I am writing to respectfully submit my letter of intent for the Director of Fundraising position at LC Ice Arena. I believe that with strong, dedicated leadership, this role can have a lasting and meaningful impact on the future of the rink and our community.

As a lifelong resident of Lewiston and a proud product of a family of business owners and self-starters, I was raised with the belief that success is earned through hard work, common sense, and hands-on experience. This mindset has shaped my professional journey through various careers where adaptability, initiative, and interpersonal skills have been key.

My early career in medical billing introduced me to business IT, payroll, and accounting. Currently, I work for a non-profit in economic development, advocating for both Lewiston and Clarkston. Each of my professional experiences has strengthened my skills in organizational strategy, relationship-building, planning, and communication—all essential for a successful fundraising role.

Eight years ago, I discovered LC Ice Arena through a family friend. Looking for winter activities, I began taking my daughters to public skate sessions, which eventually led to my youngest daughter joining the “Try Hockey Free for a Day” program—twice. In the fall of 2021, she became a member of the LC Lightning team, and I proudly became a hockey parent.

As someone drawn to high-energy, competitive sports, I quickly fell in love with the game alongside my daughter. Seeing her grow through the friendships and discipline that hockey fosters has only deepened my appreciation for what the rink offers—not just to families like mine, but to the entire Valley. From an economic development standpoint alone, LC Ice Arena is a vital asset. Its youth programs, public events, and regional draw contribute meaningfully to our local economy and community well-being.

I am fully aware of the challenges the rink currently faces and am passionate about being part of the solution. I've been involved with the Chiller Committee, contributing to grant writing efforts, and played an active role in planning the Save LC Ice fundraiser. I believe the momentum we've built presents a unique opportunity—not just to save the rink, but to reimagine its future. With the right support and vision, I believe we can eventually build a new facility that will continue to serve future generations.

I would be honored to bring my experience, energy, and commitment to the Director of Fundraising role and help guide LC Ice Arena toward a thriving future. Thank you for your consideration,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Andrea Jolliff'. The signature is fluid and cursive.

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