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Dear Dames:

It is time to start thinking of potential new members for our LDE Chicago chapter. We encourage you to get potential members out to events, involved in a fundraiser, or a community service project. The forms are due March 31, 2019.

Please carefully review the membership forms posted on our website with your Nominee prior to filling out the required forms. We expect your Nominee to fully understand her commitment of time and financial responsibility to the Les Dames Chicago Chapter prior to her proposal for membership.

As a working organization, Les Dames d'Escoffier expects members to commit to its professional goals, to support women engaged in the fields of food, fine beverages, and hospitality and to help raise funds for scholarships and grants to help women pursue their professional goals in these fields.

Please complete the Membership Nominating Form and have your prospective member fill out the Membership Application Form. All forms **MUST** have signatures **BEFORE** submission. If sent via e-mail, please type in names instead of signature to verify sponsors. Return completed Nomination & Sponsorship Package via regular mail, fax or e-mail on or before March 31, 2017. Please make sure to have **ALL** the forms together before sending. Both Primary and Secondary Sponsors must review the Nominee's application prior to submission.

Primary Sponsors will receive notification of receipt of nomination packages via e-mail or phone. Incomplete or late packages will not be considered. Should you have any questions, please call or e-mail.

Kind regards,

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