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Dear Friend,

It's hard to believe only three years have passed since we became the directors of TAP. We'd like to thank you for joining us on the journey and for supporting us along the way. Among the things we're proudest of:

- Stage Door Theatre Company (TAP's resident professional troupe) has produced over 20 fully-staged productions and more than a dozen staged readings of plays ranging from classics to contemporary. Our shows have consistently garnered rave reviews in local and regional press.

- StageKids (TAP's educational program) continues to grow, providing classes and workshops on site and at various schools. We've produced seven full productions featuring young performers from all over Door County. Our Spring production of the powerful play *columbinus* received a great amount of press coverage and is still talked about.

- TAP continues to foster relationships with area nonprofit organizations by holding fundraisers and other awareness-raising events.

We are also extremely proud that virtually all of our Stage Door Theatre Company productions have paid for themselves. This is a major accomplishment for any theatre, particularly one as young as ours. However, ticket sales cannot be expected to sustain our entire organization. We're not just talking about paying the utility bills (although, yes, utilities are a part of it). Contributions small or large from donors like you will:

- Help us expand our educational outreach and even help us offer scholarships to interested students who otherwise might not be able to afford classes.

- Maintain and build our Internship Program. We've already given seven college students their first professional experiences, both onstage and off.

- Enable more concert and film programming. (Showing just one film can cost $500 or more!)

So you really can look at your contribution as an investment in the future of an ever-growing Door County cultural institution, and thus as an investment in the future of our community. To show our gratitude, we have a number of different "thank-you" offerings for our donors:

- Donate $10-24 Have a concession item 'on the house'
- Donate $25-99 Get a VIP membership for one year
- Donate $100-249 Get a pair of Opening Night passes to any Stage Door Theatre show
- Donate $250-499 Get a $50 TAP Gift Certificate
- Donate $500-999 Get a seat with your name on it in the Studio Theater
- Donate $1000+up Get two free passes to any show produced at TAP the entire 2015 year!

We wish you and yours a wonderful holiday season, and we hope you will consider a gift to Third Avenue Playhouse. We've come a long way, and there's so much farther we can go… but we can't do it without you!

Sincerely,



Robert Boles & James Valcq, Co-Artistic Directors

Board of Directors: Steve Allen, Martha Beller, Sam Burris, Suzanne Crager, Dennis Statz, James Valcq

Your gift can be set up as a monthly payment from your account directly to TAP's account at Baylake Bank.
Simply give your financial institution Baylake Bank's Routing Number (075902104) and TAP's checking account number (7267846).

I/We would like to help support TAP!

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