



2024 GALA

IN-KIND DONATION REQUEST

Social connectedness is powerful—not only offering a sense of belonging but, research shows, helping people to live longer, healthier lives. **We invite you to join <u>LBFE Boston</u>** in making a difference for older adults in **Boston**.

Since 1979, our organization has sought to alleviate social isolation among older adults. Today, our award-winning programs deliver intergenerational, technology, and arts programming at no cost to older adults living in public and affordable housing. Whether over games, computer training, or in a dance class—generations connect, and neighbors become friends.

Opportunities for joy and growth are essential throughout the lifespan. As one of our participants said of an LBFE event: "It gets everyone together!" Our innovative programs also reflect Boston's rich diversity, bringing multilingual, multicultural programming into the communities we serve.

By partnering with LBFE Boston, you can help us do even more: reach more older Bostonians, offer more programs, and build more connections within more communities. **Towards that end, we kindly ask for your participation with an in-kind donation to the raffles/silent auction at our biggest fundraiser of the year!** *Friends on the Harbor* will be held on October 1, 2024, at the Hyatt Regency Boston Harbor where more than 125 Boston area professionals will gather for an evening of dancing, music, and special guests.

Please email me with any questions. Donations may be sent directly to our office at the address below or by email by September 3, 2024. We are happy to pick it up locally. Please include the value of the item, and to whom and where an acknowledgment should be sent. Your donation will also be recognized on our social media channels and website!

Thank you, once again, for supporting LBFE Boston's mission and our 2024 Friends on the Harbor gala.

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