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Dear Friend of the Museum:

As you know, each GSL Championship hosts a Benefit Auction for the International Model Car Builders' Museum. In that auction, donated items are raffled off to buyers with all proceeds going to the Museum. Those monies are used to pay rent, cover the costs of Museum programs, and publish the newsletter, *The Builder* (for a recent copy, go here:

<http://www.themodelcarmuseum.org/docs/Builder-13-1.pdf>

Since 1989, these Museum - Benefit Auctions have paid for nearly one quarter of all costs of operating the Museum. Please find just below this document, on this page, a link to "*A Quick Look at the International Model Car Builders' Museum*" which contains a brief description of the Museum's goals and purposes as well as stories on recent Museum events. I know you'll find it fascinating.

The Twenty-Sixth GSL Championship International Scale Vehicle Championship and Convention is hosting the next auction on Saturday evening, April 29, 2017. As before, we need donated items that can be sold to the dozens of interested buyers that attend this enjoyable event on Saturday evening.

Would you please donate something to the auction - really, anything of value to enthusiastic model car builders? If you can donate an item, your generosity will be noted at the Auction and you'll be listed as an official sponsor of the Championship. If you own a business, the fair market value of the donated items can be deducted as a business expense since the Museum is a tax-deductible educational institution pursuant to Section 501 (c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code (check with your tax advisor about your specific tax situation).

Please send your items to Museum Trustee Phil Gladstone, 1334 E. Snow Creek Dr., Layton, UT 84040 not later than March 15, 2017. If you have any questions about the Museum auction, please contact Phil Gladstone (phappyrock@gmail.com), or me at msgsl@xmission.com Thanks for any donation you can make for the benefit of the Museum.

Cordially,

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