

May 15, 2009



To: The Holland & Hart Family

From: The Holland & Hart Foundation

Re: The Stern Family Summer Project (Round 2)

We hope that the children of Holland & Hart's extended family (i.e. kids, grandkids, nephews, nieces, etc.) will participate in "Round 2" of the Stern Family Summer Project. "Round 1" was a tremendous success and details may be seen on pages 4-8 of the 2008 annual report which is available online at www.hollandhartfoundation.org/2008.

The project is the result of a generous gift to the Foundation from the Stern Family, in honor of Jean and Sam Guyton's 70th birthday, for a project to be created by them. The Stern Family is a long-time client of the firm in Aspen, Friday Harbor, and Deer Valley with an amazing record of giving and supporting community projects, education, and families.

Jean and Sam suggested the Stern Family Summer Project to challenge kids to research a charity or nonprofit organization that interests them, visit or volunteer, if possible, and write a short essay about the organization and their experience.

The essays will be reviewed by each office committee and may serve as the basis for future Foundation activities. The office may choose to circulate the essays, and **the Foundation will award available prize money to every child who participates, to be donated to the charity or nonprofit organization that was the subject of their essay.**

The Foundation committee in your office will organize and administer the program. The essays are due on Monday, August 3, 2009. Office receptions will be held in mid-August to celebrate all submissions. We are grateful to the Sterns and the Guytons for developing such a wonderful project.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bob Tommey". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.