



*Bringing nature and people together to discover,
enjoy, experience, restore and preserve our
priceless environment.*

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Cindy Schneible - President
McKinney Community Development Corp.
5900 S. Lake Forest Dr.
Suite 110
McKinney, Texas 75070

Dear Ms. Schneible:

First, I would like to thank you and the McKinney Community Development Corp. for the generous donation of \$50,000 toward the purchase and the installation of the Magic Planet Globe at the Heard Museum.

The globe was installed in early December 2017. We are now in the process of the staff training to officially open the exhibit to the public tentatively scheduled for early February for a soft opening.

The Magic Planet will enable the Heard Museum in an interactive manner to reach out to the young audience to create an environment for the science teaching of the elementary age students. The Magic planet will also be used for after-hours adult education covering science based topics.

Attached are some pictures of the Magic Planet room at the Heard Museum.

Thank you again for your donation.

Sincerely,

Sy Shahid
Executive Director

The Magic Planet Exhibit

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