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Dear Dedric Gill,

On behalf of the Championship Staff, Omaha Country Club and the USGA, we would like to thank you for your contributions in helping us host an amazing week of championship golf, at the 2013 U.S. Senior Open.

Your efforts, contributions and support were remarkable and essential in order to host a championship of this magnitude. We had 157,126 spectators from 40 states over the seven days; 3,000 volunteers from 380 cities and 38 states working over 10,000 volunteer hours; approximately 100 vendors on site; 100 corporate supporters and many more whose efforts are contributed quietly behind the scenes.

Our players had a remarkable week and the feedback we have received has been well deserved such as:

From Tour player D.A. Weibring – “We think that the people of Omaha have been the friendliest group on and off the course we have ever experienced in our 36 years playing on the Tour. The volunteers, marshals, spectators and even the police at the airport - we were very impressed and appreciative of the hospitality! Omaha should be proud of their presentation.”

Our team cannot thank you enough for your efforts, and we look forward to the day when we can impress everyone again in hosting a USGA national championship.

Sincerely,

The Championship Staff

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