

## **9-11-01 KRYGER-KOLESAR FUNDRAISER LETTER**

February 17, 2012

Dear Friends,

We are reaching out to you today to request your support with our participation in the 11th Annual Tour De Force NY Bicycle Ride. As many of you know, both of us (Dave Kryger & Andrew Kolesar) are long time civil servants (NYPD, FDNY & Haverstraw Police Dept.) and Ex-Chiefs of the West Haverstraw Fire Dept. and as such, we are committed to this important cause. This ride, will leave from Boston, Massachusetts on September 8, 2012 and finish at Ground Zero, in New York City, on September 11, 2012. We will ride a total of 270 miles.

The Tour de Force's dual mission is to honor the victims of 9/11 by keeping their memory alive through cycling events and to raise funds that will benefit the families of police officers who were killed in the line of duty each year nationwide making the ultimate sacrifice. The Tour de Force is a registered 501(c)3 charity with the IRS.

A condition of being selected as a participant in this ride, we are required to raise \$1,000.00 for this fund. We would like to take this opportunity to respectfully request a tax deductible donation from you and/or your organization toward this ride. Feel free to visit the organization's website at [www.tourdeforcenyc.com](http://www.tourdeforcenyc.com). Please make checks payable to the Tour De Force. In the memo line or attached to the check, please indicate "in support of Dave Kryger and Andrew Kolesar." Checks can be mailed to Andrew Kolesar 49 Conklin Ave. Haverstraw, N.Y. 10927, Dave Kryger, 6 Sherman Dr. Garnerville, N.Y. 10923 or directly to the Tour De Force at PO Box 395, Washingtonville, N.Y. 10992.

We will be making shirts which will list all contributors. We are going to wear these shirts on the last leg of the ride into Ground Zero on September 11, 2012 in honor of our fallen brothers and sisters who perished on 9/11/01. If you mail your donation to the TDF, please be sure to let us know so we can acknowledge you on our shirt. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Dave at 845-548-2392 or Andrew at 845-608-0927. Please stay safe & we thank you in advance for your support.

Respectfully,

Sgt. & Ex-Chief Dave Kryger  
HTPD & Volunteer Hose Co. 2 ,West Haverstraw

FF & Ex-Chief Andrew Kolesar  
FDNY & Volunteer Hose Co. 2 ,West Haverstraw