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Thank you for making 2006 a very memorable and exciting year for Unlocking Doors!! Your generosity enabled us to break our original fundraising goal of \$8,000 and exceeded our expectations by raising over \$14,000 our first year!!

**2006 Highlights**

Unlocking Doors was incorporated in August 2005. It took us nearly a year to get our roots in the ground as a corporation. This newsletter recaps our milestones of 2006 and gives a preview of what's in store for Unlocking Doors this year.

**2006 Quick Facts**

- 9,975 - Total number of website hits
- 1,300 - Approximate number of volunteered man hours
- 21 - Number of donors
- \$14,245 - Total money raised

**Timeline**

- June 21, 2006 – Received federal 501(c)3 tax exempt status
- July 27, 2006 – Received California tax exempt status
- September 2006 - Launched our website with our first newsletter
- November – Designed our logo
- December – Received our first scholarship applicant in December

**Milestones**

- Searchable through Google and Yahoo! search engines
- Featured in Accenture's Spotlight on People global newsletter to more than 140,000 people and featured in Accenture's recruiting marketing material.

**What to Expect in 2007**

In early January, we mailed out Unlocking Doors scholarship applications to more than 500 Bay Area high schools. We are very excited to be receiving scholarship applications by our March 31st deadline. We will award 10 \$1,000 scholarships this summer to deserving and promising young women.

**Other 2007 Goals**

- We will continue to seek opportunities to partner up with other Bay Area non-profit organizations such as BayFund
- Annual report will be available on our website by May
- Expansion of our Board of Directors in May
- Introduction of Unlocking Doors merchandise

The money raised last year exceeded our expectations! This year, we are aiming to raise \$25,000 and have yet to receive our first donor for this year! If you want to be our lucky winner, you may send your tax deductible donation by mail to:

Unlocking Doors: A Scholarship for Women  
530 Lawrence Expwy #335  
Sunnyvale, CA 94085

Or please visit our website at [www.unlockingdoors.org](http://www.unlockingdoors.org) to make a secure online credit card donation through PayPal.

Our next newsletter will be in early April highlighting scholarship applications received. The board is anxious to receive and read the stories of promising young women leaders so we can unlock the doors of opportunity, one scholar at a time...