August 1, 2013

Dear Mayor Kuykendall,

I am 88 years old and I'm wheelchair bound. My heart has broken over and over as I closely followed the plight of those 19 hotshots who lost their lives on June 30th.

Recently, our Arizona Daily Star newspaper here in Tucson printed your very touching letter of gratitude to all who have contributed to helping the families of those brave hotshots.

I'm not able to give all I wish I could, but enclosed is my personal check for [redacted].

My prayers go out to all the hotshot families, and my deep gratitude to you, mayor for your heartfelt article in the newspaper. Gratefully, Ruby James