



Estate Planning Council of Birmingham, Inc.

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Dear Fellow Members:

The current year has started off tremendously for the Council and the officers of the Council are planning for an exciting conclusion to 2009, in the fall. The purpose of this letter is to inform you of some of those plans.

As many of you are aware, 2009 is the 50th Anniversary of the Estate Planning Council of Birmingham, Inc. In connection with the celebration of this anniversary, the Council will recognize the past Presidents of the Council at our October meeting. All of the Council's past Presidents will be invited to attend the October meeting, at which time they will receive appropriate recognition for their leadership and service to the Council. The particulars for this event will be disseminated later, but it might well take place during the National Estate Planning Awareness Week, which is a week long national activity conducted by the National Estate Planning Council to raise awareness among the general public about estate planning and estate planning professionals. In any event, details of this special meeting will be made available to you once those details are determined.

On behalf of the directors and officers of the Council, we appreciate your participation and interest in and support of the Council and look forward to seeing you at our next meeting, Thursday, May 21, 2009, 7:45 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. (2 1/2 hour presentation), featuring Marc Merric speaking on "How to Protect Assets in Alabama."

Sincerely,

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Treasurer