



Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco Firearms, and Explosives Branch
244 Needy Road
Martinsburg, WV 25405

Dear Sir,

From March 15-22 2014 in the state of Alaska, the Fairbanks North Star Borough will be hosting the Arctic Winter Games.

The Arctic Winter Games are a high profile circumpolar sport competition for northern and arctic athletes. The Games provide an opportunity to strengthen sport development in the participants' jurisdictions. The Contingents competing in the 2014 Arctic Winter Games are Alaska, Alberta North, Greenland, Northwest Territories, Nunavut, Nunavik-Quebec, Yukon, Yamal-Russia and Sampi. The Games have been held since 1970 and are hosted biannual by communities located throughout the circumpolar north.

There are two thousand athletes for around the circumpolar north that come to compete in twenty different sports and cultural performances. Two of the twenty sport competitions in the Arctic Winter Games are the Snowshoe Biathlon and Ski Biathlon.

On behalf of The 2014 Fairbanks Host Society would like to formally invite your contingents to participate in the Snowshoe and Ski Biathlon on March 15- 22 of 2014.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require more information.

Sincerely,

Karen Lane

General Manager