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Pipers Banquets | May 21, 2015

Welcome	Arlene Hawks
Shake It Off.	Exelon/ComEd United Way Band
Posting of the Colors	West Aurora High School AFJROT
National Anthem	Singsation – East Aurora High School
Invocation	Pastor Gary Baer – Mission Possible
Silver Lining	Exelon/ComEd United Way Band
Breakfast	
CEO Remarks	Michael Meyer
Board Chairman Remarks	John Wu
Community Action Awards	Michael Meyer & Deborah Collins
Speaker	Joe – Hope For Tomorrow
SPARK Presentation.	Michael Meyer
LIVE UNITED Award	Michael Meyer & Trish Rooney
Speaker	Latricia – SPARK
Volunteer of the Year Award.	Michael Meyer & Trish Rooney
Campaign Awards	Michael Meyer & Denise Blettner
Speaker	Gloria and Cee Cee – CASA Kane County
Closing Remarks	Michael Meyer
Safe and Sound.	Exelon/ComEd United Way Band



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2014–2015 Community Action Awards

AURORA FIRE DEPARTMENT WATER RESCUE TEAM

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2014-2015 Top 3 Campaign Contributor Awards

CATERPILLAR

In Appreciation And Recognition For the Highest Level Of Contributions Raised During the Fox Valley United Way Annual Campaign

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In Appreciation And Recognition For the 2nd Highest Level Of Contributions Raised During the Fox Valley United Way Annual Campaign

NICOR GAS

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2014-2015 Campaign Contributor Awards

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	2ND	EXELON/COMED
	3RD	NICOR GAS
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	3RD	NICOR GAS

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Employee Contributions	1ST	BANK OF AMERICA
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	2ND	ITW
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