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GENI Foundation Annual Report for 2013 - 2014 year

Dear GENI Friend

Our Special Thank You's go to:

- All our Sponsors and Supporters in furthering the GENI Initiative for this past year! We thank you for your ongoing commitment and sincere contributions to the GENI Foundation. With your support we are able to fund our monthly mailouts, manage our fundraising events and inform VIP's of the current state of GENI information around the planet.
- The Trustees of the GENI Foundation. To Charles Kovess for his passion and energy. The Youtube videos are awesome! To Dr. Graeme Edwards for his unending support and for holding the global vision and to Ruanna Segal for all the hours working behind the scenes.
- Peter Meisen and his team of volunteers in San Diego for keeping the GENI vision alive. We thank you for the informative monthly reports.
- Alex and Helen for their commitment to the GENI Initiative and doing whatever it takes. Thank you for your weekly support in the GENI office, for the mailouts, inspirational words and creative ideas in taking GENI to the next level.
- Willem and Tracey for their love and support with all the logistical and creative expertise, for the flyers, for the upkeep of the website and for inviting us into your home to hold the regular GENI team meetings. To Julie Parker for your valuable time, words of encouragement and support in typing up of the minutes.
- To our Volunteers that support us no matter what new brain storm idea we come up with, without them they wouldn't work. To Danny Tiomkin for his critical eye feedback and for doing whatever it takes. To Jerry Speiser for contributing valuable support and giving us many distinctions. To Anatole for his continued vision, time and resources for the GENI Foundation. To Malcolm for his technical support and willingness to contribute.

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Accomplishments for 2014:

- For the UN World Environment Day 2014 we had a Comedy Gala event at the Comics Lounge in North Melbourne. We have had comedy fundraising nights in the past and they have always be a success. This was our major fundraiser for the year and we raised \$551.
- Last year we played Bucky Fullers World Game with Ron Laurie's support and since then Ron has taken the game to the US where he was able to involve Marshall Thurber (Student of Bucky Fuller) in playing the game renewing his passion for this powerful artifact. Renamed the Global Convergence Game it will be played in Australia and in the United States in the coming year.
- The monthly newsletter called GENI-us is still being emailed to our database every month. We also have a Twitter account, Linkedin page and of course a Facebook page. This is our frequency of interaction as Bucky Fuller calls it. We have over 255 interested people on our mailout list where they receive regular updates about GENI solutions in Australia and worldwide.
- To save our resources we double up on the monthly mailouts, so our Sponsors receive 2 reports at the one time. This has allowed us to purchase new stock, so if you are interested in any of Bucky Fullers books. Please see the back of the Sponsorship Renewal Form that is attached to this mail or call the office to see what books we have available.
- Thank you to all our GENI staff and supporters that attend many of the Environmental Conferences, Symposiums and other organizational meetings on our behalf.

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Future Projects:

- The Independent Renewable Energy Centre (IREC) project is our latest venture. The idea is to invite corporate and businesses to sponsor a stand alone renewable energy product (wind or solar, etc.) in small towns and communities in our outback Australia.
- We will be holding bi-monthly seminars in the Melbourne CBD where we can invite corporate and business leaders of our community to present the GENI Initiative and the IRECs project to them to inspire them to sponsor the IRECs project.
- White Paper submission copy of which is on our GENI Foundation website for you to download. There is also a Green Paper submission. The idea of these paper submissions to government is to put forth the GENI Initiative points of view and ideas.

Sponsorship Renewal:

- I have also included the Sponsorship Renewal Form. I invite you to become a regular financial member of the GENI Initiative and pledge a small amount each month, all the details are on the Renewal Form. We use Bucky's birthday 12 July as the renewal date every year. We welcome your continued support...thank you!

Ruanna Segal
Trustee of the GENI Foundation

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