June 13, 2023

Christmas Cruise Thru 112 East High Street Hicksville, OH 43526

Dear Christmas Cruise Thru Committee,

After further thought and concerns we have decided it is to our best interest if we decline the offer of displaying reindeer at the CCT for three consecutive weekends in December. I would like to share with you the concerns that lead us to this decision. Six pm to 10 pm has us arriving back at the farm at One am. The first three weekends in December represents 75 to 80% of our display season. Arriving home late and back on the road at 6 to 7 am to accommodate additional customers request is a recipe for disaster. Out of concern for our safety and that of the reindeer we feel this is a wise decision. We would offer our service for a Friday and Saturday in December for one weekend for the CCT. If this is not acceptable for the CCT Boards, we completely understand. Enclosed you will find the deposit checks that were mailed to Pine Acres Reindeer Farm and offer our support in your decision.

Sincerely,

Dan and Linda Downs

Pine Acres Reindeer Farm

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