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Re: **Samurai of Gold Hill**
 By: Brian Tadashi Maeda

Dear Sir or Madame:

This is to advise you that Brian Tadashi Maeda, the above referenced member of the International Documentary Association, has been accepted into our Fiscal Sponsorship Program. We are pleased to support Mr. Maeda's documentary, *Samurai of Gold Hill*.

On behalf of the International Documentary Association, I would like to urge you to support *Samurai of Gold Hill*. The filmmaker has demonstrated high professional standards and the project promises to be a contribution to both the media arts and cultural history. We also found the budget to be feasible.

The International Documentary Association has been in existence since 1982, and for some time has allowed members to use its 501(c)(3) status to solicit charitable contributions for selected documentary projects and to apply for grants to agencies which require such status. We have agreed to act in that capacity in this instance. The International Documentary Association will administer any funds received in support of this project. Donations to the IDA are tax deductible to the extent allowed by the law.

We look forward to working with you and appreciate your time in considering Brian Tadashi Maeda's documentary film, *Samurai of Gold Hill*.

Very truly yours,

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