**EXAMPLE:** 

YOUR NAME ADDRESS PHONE E-Mail

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am an active member of the East Texas Treasure Hunters Association. I would like to
take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is "YOUR NAME" and I have lived in
County now for about years and as a hobby I have been metal
detecting for of those years. I am writing you this letter in hopes that you will allow
me to metal detect on your property. I love digging up old relics and pieces of history
from the past. I have metal detected many old properties, including Civil War sites,
older homes, and parks with great success over the years. Many people believe there is
nothing to be found on their property which, after some detecting are pleasantly
surprised. People are simply amazed at what I find, whether its old coins, jewelry,
relics, old toys, bottles, tokens or a family heirlooms. There ARE items that can be
found and I would love to help you to do so! Recently, I have been detecting the same
property in Wake Forest on and off for over a year now. The owner, who originally
believed "there was nothing on the property to find", has been pleasantly surprised to
see that I am continually finding items, even today. If interested, I would gladly show
you some of the items I have found to date. I really enjoy the metal detecting hobby
and the fun it provides in searching for items from days gone by. I thank you for your
time and consideration, and am looking forward to hearing from you soon. Please feel
free to e-mail me or call me with any questions or concerns you have. I have enclosed
a self-addressed stamped envelope in case you wish to reply by mail.

Sincerely, (Your name)

<u>Please note</u>: I am NOT in this hobby to make money, and I keep the relics and items I find for display purposes only. There is NO CHARGE to the property owner, and all finds can be divided up equally if required. I only dig a small hole (about 3" in diameter) to retrieve most finds, and then refill all holes neatly. Thank you for your time.