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Established in 1928, the Elks National Foundation is the charitable arm of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks. Our mission is to help Elks build stronger communities. The Foundation is supported through contributions from Elks, their families and friends, which form a permanent endowment fund. The ENF uses this fund to support national Elks programs and to provide grants that enable Lodges to address unmet needs in their communities.

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Your financial donations and volunteer service

make an important difference to the Elks National Foundation—and to your local communities. Your generosity helps to:

► Support a range of Elks national programs, from offering college scholarships and promoting drug awareness to assisting our veterans and fulfilling unmet needs in Lodge communities.

• Build the ENF endowment to ensure future funding to help people in need.

► Increase your Lodge's per-member giving to the ENF and help the Lodge reach the GER's goal.



Annually, the ENF sponsors three scholarship programs, including awarding 500 four-year scholarships, from \$1,000 to \$15,000 per year, to graduating seniors based on financial need, leadership and academics.

To continue your support of ENF, we've outlined several giving methods here, along with easy steps for you to follow.

MATCHING CORPORATE SUPPORT: GET REWARDED FOR YOUR GIFTS

Companies across the country often match financial donations made by employees, spouses—and retirees. Participating in your company's matching gift program is an easy way for you to double your donation to the Elks National Foundation. Here's how: Confirm that your employer participates in the matching gift program by visiting www.elks.org/ enf/MatchingGifts.cfm or by contacting your Human Resources office.

 Fill out the matching gift form provided by your current employer (or former employer, if you're retired and eligible to participate).

 Be sure to check whether your company also matches volunteer service hours with financial contributions—and get rewarded for your Lodge work in your community.

• Submit your completed form to the ENF, and we will handle all the rest.

▶ Need more help? Email *enf@elks.org*.

If you've already donated to the ENF this year, contact your employer: Many companies match donations for up to a year, so you can still double your donation.

PAYROLL-DEDUCTION PLANS: MAKE YOUR GIFTS MONTHLY

Setting up payroll deductions through your employer is an easy way to contribute regularly to the ENF. When you sign up for payroll deductions, a pre-determined dollar amount will be deducted monthly from your paycheck and earmarked for the Foundation. Here's how to get started:

• Check with your employer's HR office to find out if your company has a payroll-deduction program.

Complete any forms required by your employer, who will be responsible for sending your checks to the ENF. Your full name and address should be included on checks that are mailed to us. Ask to also include your Lodge number on checks, if possible.

► **Government employees** are eligible for their own payroll-deduction program: the Combined Federal Campaign. The CFC registration period is September 1–December 15. Be sure to check the box on the CFC form to release your giving information to the ENF. Contact ENF directly with your pledge information so you and your Lodge get credit for your donations. Email enf@elks.org or call 773.755.4728.

RECURRING GIFT CLUBS: SET UP AUTOMATIC DEDUCTIONS

If you give to the ENF regularly, here's a safe and easy way to schedule automatic donations that don't require your time and effort.

The ENF can automatically debit your bank account or charge your credit card on a recurring basis each month for the specific donation amount you determine. This method is not only safe and reliable for you, but also cost-effective for the ENF, reducing our administrative time and costs. Get started today:

► Complete and mail in the attached form, or download an application at **www.elks.org/enf/***RecurringClub.cfm*.

• Get your name listed on the ENF Website as a member of the Recurring Gift Club—and receive a special gift.

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 Contact Marcee Northey at MarceeN@elks.org or 773.755.4854 for more information.



The ENF contributes nearly \$1 million annually to the Elks National Veterans Service Program.

WANT MORE WAYS TO GIVE?

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The Elks National Foundation gives you many convenient, safe, easy and effective ways to make your gifts, including:

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 Planned gifts such as charitable bequests, gifts of appreciated stock and/or life insurance.

• Online donations, including alternative giving options through American Express, eBay and iGive.com.

• Tribute gifts in memory of family and friends.

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You can also see how the ENF is helping your state at **www.elks.org/enf/yourstate.cfm**.

