You don’t have to make a mint to make a difference. Your payroll deduction of $5 or even $1 can make your community a sweeter place to live, work, and play.
The Choice Is All Yours

AS ANY FIVE YEAR OLD WOULD TELL YOU, LIFE IS BETTER WHEN YOU GET TO CHOOSE.

When you donate through Community Services Fund of Nebraska, it’s up to YOU which causes you want to support.

You know what else is a good choice? Choosing to donate a small amount, automatically deducted from your paycheck each pay period.

FUN-SIZED OR REGULAR YOUR GIFT MAKES A KING-SIZED DIFFERENCE.

Together Community Services Fund member agencies are making a huge impact in communities throughout the state with donations as small as $1 given every pay period.

How It Works

1. Choose your cause(s).
2. Decide on the amount you want automatically deducted from your paycheck.
3. Multiply that number by the number of pay periods in a year for your total gift amount.
4. Pat yourself on the back for being one incredibly sweet (and generous) individual.

Payroll Deduction Amount | Total Yearly Gift if Paid Monthly (12) | Total Yearly Gift If Paid Bi-Monthly (24) | Total Yearly Gift If Paid Every Other Week (26)
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$1 | $12 | $24 | $26
$2 | $24 | $48 | $52
$3 | $36 | $72 | $78
$4 | $48 | $96 | $104
$5 | $60 | $120 | $130
$10 | $120 | $240 | $260
$15 | $180 | $360 | $390
$20 | $240 | $480 | $520

MEMBER AGENCY LOCATION KEY

- (O) Agency’s presence is mainly Omaha
- (L) Agency’s presence is mainly Lincoln
- (S) Agency’s presence is Statewide
- (EN) Agency’s presence is mainly Eastern Nebraska
- (C/W) Agency’s presence is mainly Central/Western Nebraska
Member Agencies

ASSIST THOSE IN NEED

Angels Among Us – 6848
Angels Among Us provides financial and emotional support to families living in or being treated in Nebraska for pediatric cancer. (S)

The Arc of Nebraska – 6085
The Arc of Nebraska provides Legislative Advocacy, Service, and Training to people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families. (S)

Autism Center of Nebraska – 6075
Supporting people with autism and other developmental disabilities and their families through community-based programs and services. Enhancing lives by teaching residential and vocational independence. (L) (EN)

The Bridge Behavioral Health – 6780
The Bridge provides medical withdrawal, treatment, and recovery support for people with substance use disorders and the mental health issues that often accompany them. (L)

The Junior League of Lincoln – 6445
We promote volunteerism, develop women, and improve our community through effective action of trained volunteers. We train, organize, volunteer, research, and improve quality of life. (L)

Make-A-Wish Nebraska – 6340
Together, we create life-changing wishes for children with critical illnesses. (S)

Mental Health Association of Nebraska – 6066
MHA is a peer operated and participant driven organization serving and providing alternative programs to those who struggle with mental health and/or substance use issues. (L)

Nebraska Alliance of Child Advocacy Centers – 6830
The Nebraska Alliance is dedicated to enhancing Nebraska’s response to child abuse. We support responders on the front lines through technical assistance and statewide advocacy. (L) (O) (EN) (C/W)

Nebraska CASA Association – 6310
Nebraska Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) works with local programs to recruit, screen, train, and support volunteers. CASA volunteers support abused and neglected children. (S)

Nebraska Children and Families Foundation – 6320
Nebraska Children supports children, young people, and families with the overall goal of ensuring our state’s most vulnerable kids have the opportunity to thrive. (S)

Nebraska Coalition to End Sexual and Domestic Violence – 6050
The Nebraska Coalition enhances safety and justice through promoting prevention efforts, public policy advocacy, training, and capacity building support to those serving survivors. (S)

Ronald McDonald House Charities in Omaha – 6856
Supportive home away from home for families traveling to Omaha for their children’s life-saving medical care in area hospitals. (L) (O) (EN) (C/W)

Seniors Foundation – 6200
The Seniors Foundation believes that regardless of age or income, people deserve to live their best lives. The Senior Foundation raises funds to support Aging Partners. (L)

Tabitha – 6840
Tabitha offers results-driven rehabilitation, at-home health care, innovative living communities, Meals on Wheels, and compassionate hospice care. (L) (EN) (C/W)

Through workplace giving, with each paycheck, I know that a portion of my pay helps people in the community—my neighbors—to experience health and wholeness.”

-Gwen
FOSTER LOCAL ARTS & CULTURE

Crane River Theater – 6851
Crane River Theater serves Kearney and surrounding areas as a professional theater company providing a home for the presentation, education, and promotion of the arts. (S) (CW)

Lincoln’s Symphony Orchestra – 6849
Lincoln’s Symphony Orchestra presents inspiring experiences that welcome all members of our community to discover and cultivate a profound, personal connection with live orchestral music. (L)

Merryman Performing Arts Center – 6847
This historic, beautifully renovated, 760 seat theater near downtown Kearney serves Central Nebraska. The Merryman presents national touring artists in music, dance, and theater. (CW)

Museum of Nebraska Art – 6825
MONA celebrates Nebraska’s rich artistic history by collecting, preserving, researching, exhibiting, and interpreting art created by Nebraska artists or reflecting Nebraska history and culture. (S)

BUILD STRONG COMMUNITIES

Boy Scouts of America, Cornhusker Council – 6846
A youth leadership program for all youth which changes lives and impacts communities. We focus on Physical Fitness, Citizenship, and Leadership Development. (L) (EN)

Center for Rural Affairs – 6425
Center for Rural Affairs, founded by rural people concerned about the future of their communities, works to ensure rural Americans have access to opportunity. (S)

Civic Nebraska – 6025
We believe that building an engaged and informed society takes work. We stand for these beliefs in our streets, schools, neighborhoods, and in institutions. (L) (S)

Grief’s Journey – 6845
A place to find comfort, understanding, and hope. Free invaluable services for children, adults, and families grieving the death of a loved one or serious illness/injury. (O)

Habitat for Humanity of Lincoln – 6040
Habitat Lincoln brings people together to build homes, communities, and hope. Homeowners achieve strength, stability, and independence to build a better life. (L)

Lincoln Parks Foundation – 6240
To inspire and nurture a philanthropic legacy for parks and recreation in our community. (L)

Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) – 6150
MADD is working tirelessly to end drunk driving, help fight drugged driving, support the victims of these violent crimes, and prevent underage drinking. (S)

Nebraska Children’s Home Society – 6420
Nebraska Children’s Home Society works towards a vision of “a safe and loving family for every child” through three core services: Adoption, Foster Care, and Family Support. (S)

Nebraska Trails Foundation – 6090
Nebraska Trails Foundation (NTF) helps build and promote multi-use trails for transportation and recreation, encouraging healthy lifestyles while preserving the environment. (S)

Nonprofit Association of the Midlands – 6760
We strengthen the collective voice, leadership, and capacity of nonprofit organizations enriching the quality of community life throughout Nebraska and Western Iowa. (S)

Rabble Mill (The Bay, Hear Nebraska, Skate for Change) – 6435
We provide economically and culturally disadvantaged youth with the belonging and purpose they need to grow and reinvest in their community. (L) (O)

ServeNebraska – 6470
Mobilizing Nebraskans to strengthen their communities through volunteering, collaboration, and national service programs. (S)

Sunrise Communications Inc. DBA KZUM – 6230
Sunrise Communications runs KZUM, a non-profit community radio station providing vital information, independent news, and a variety of music while representing a diverse community. (L)
ENHANCE EDUCATION & LEARNING

The Archway – 6852
The Archway’s family-friendly experience preserves Nebraska’s history, shares the story of the building of America, and inspires visitors from all over the world. (S) (CW)

Foundation for Lincoln City Libraries – 6250
The Foundation for Lincoln City Libraries supports Lincoln City Libraries enhancing their programs and services provided to all citizens free-of-charge. (L)

Foundation For Lincoln Public Schools – 6853
So that students can reach their full potential, we engage our community to inspire students and educators, and create educational opportunities that enhance academic and personal success. (L)

Lincoln Children’s Museum – 6330
The Lincoln Children’s Museum invites children to create, discover, and learn through the power of play. (L)

“Giving back to the community is a privilege and Community Services Fund provides a valuable service with work place giving. It’s rewarding, convenient and you can choose the agencies you want to support.”

- Curt

MENTOR Nebraska – 6460
MENTOR Nebraska fuels the quality and quantity of mentoring relationships, strengthens collaboration, and advocates for mentoring throughout Nebraska. (O) (S)

Nebraska 4-H Foundation – 6860
Founded in 1958, we enhance the Nebraska 4-H Youth Development Program. Funding new 4-H programs and improving existing programs at the county, district, and state levels. (L) (S)

Nebraska Association for the Education of Young Children – 6765
Nebraska AEYC administers projects and services to strengthen and support the early childhood profession, improving the quality of care for young children and their families. (S)

NET Foundation for Radio – 6220
Enriching lives, engaging minds, and connecting Nebraskans through music, news, information, entertainment, and commentary from around the state, nation, and globe. Nebraska’s NPR Station. (S)

NET Foundation for Television – 6210
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University of Nebraska Foundation – 6845
Gifts to the University of Nebraska Foundation support students at UNK, UNL, UNO, and UNMC. (S)

IMPROVE HEALTH OPTIONS

Bluestem Health – 6260
To be a trusted resource for excellent medical, dental, and behavioral health services. (L)

Clinic with a Heart – 6775
Free healthcare with hospitality, dignity, and grace. Staffed by 700+ volunteers, we offer medical, dental, physical therapy, chiropractic, mental health, vision, hearing, and spiritual care. (L)

MilkWorks – 6065
MilkWorks is a comprehensive breastfeeding center with an experienced staff, dedicated to helping families breastfeed their babies. (L) (O) (EN)

NALHD-Nebraska Association of Local Health Directors – 6835
Through NALHD, all of Nebraska’s local health departments work together to amplify their work and keep communities healthy, safe, and well. (S)

Nebraska Sports Council – 6035
Our organization puts on events which help Nebraskans of all ages and abilities live active and healthy. (L) (O) (EN) (S) (CW)

Partnership for a Healthy Lincoln – 6795
Partnership for a Healthy Lincoln helps people live longer, healthier lives by improving nutrition and fitness, supporting breastfeeding, and improving cancer screening and vaccination rates. (L) (S)

Planned Parenthood – 6020
Planned Parenthood’s mission is to provide, promote, and protect reproductive and sexual health through health services, education, and advocacy. (S)
CARE FOR NEBRASKA’S ANIMALS AND ENVIRONMENT

**Capital Humane Society – 6270**
To fulfill the promise of animals, Capital Humane Society shelters animals, protects animals, and teaches compassion and respect. (L)

**Lincoln Children’s Zoo – 6190**
Provide Lincoln families with the opportunity to learn firsthand about the natural world. Our mission is to enrich lives through firsthand interaction with living things. (L)

**The Nature Conservancy in Nebraska – 6100**
The Nature Conservancy protects Nebraska’s natural heritage by promoting the health of prairies, rivers, and wildlife, combining the best available science with an entrepreneurial spirit. (S)

**Nebraska Recycling Council – 6859**
Nebraska Recycling Council provides assistance and resources to reduce, reuse, and recycle materials for their highest and best use, protecting Nebraska’s good life for future generations. (L)

“By utilizing payroll deduction through Community Services Fund I have the ability to donate a larger amount and support more of the causes I am passionate about.”

- Mark

**Nebraska Statewide Arboretum - 6800**
We plant Nebraska for healthy people, vibrant communities, and a resilient environment. We do this through tree planting, garden making, and education. (L) (O) (EN) (S) (C/W)

**Open Door Mission – 6465**
Open Door Mission offers safe shelter, nutritious meals, homeless preventive measures, and life-changing programs to hungry, homeless, and near-homeless people in Omaha and Southwest Iowa. (O)

**OutNebraska – 6067**
Empowering and celebrating thriving LGBTQ+ communities across Nebraska through community-building and advocacy. (S)

**Women’s Fund – 6861**
We work on the most critical challenges facing women and girls by identifying issues, funding solutions, and leading dynamic change by advocating for effective policy solutions. (O)

WORK FOR A JUST SOCIETY

**ACLU of Nebraska – 6080**
For over 50 years in Nebraska, the ACLU has worked in courts, legislatures, and communities to protect the constitutional and individual rights of all people. (L) (O) (S)

**The Mediation Center – 6130**
The Mediation Center, dedicated to the resolution of conflict, provides professional, effective mediation services to every individual in the community regardless of ability to pay. (L)

**Nebraska Appleseed – 6255**
We fight for justice and opportunity for all Nebraskans through community organizing, legislative advocacy, and impact litigation. (S)

**Lincoln Children’s Zoo**

**Community Services Fund of Nebraska, Operating Fund – 6000**
Provides fundraising, marketing, and networking for member agencies and connects donors to causes they care about most.

**Equal Distribution – 6300**
Divided equally among all Community Services Fund member agencies and the Community Services Fund operating fund.
**FAQs**

**Q:** Is my donation to Community Services Fund (CSF) tax deductible?

**A:** Yes, CSF is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, as are all of its member agencies. Gifts are tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.

**Q:** Why are there so many choices?

**A:** CSF's strength is in donor choice. No single federation could possibly fundraise for all nonprofit choices in our community. Community Services Fund was formed in 1981 in response to donors asking for more and different choices and to nonprofits looking for new sources of funding.

**Q:** Why give through CSF instead of directly to the agency?

**A:** Community Services Fund does not want to discourage a donor from giving directly to agencies. Payroll deduction is another way, and perhaps a better way, for you to support your community. Payroll deduction could be a better option because: 1) It's convenient to have donations deducted each pay period; and 2) It may allow the donor to give more money because it is spread over a year's time. And you can support multiple causes with a single gift.

**Q:** How does CSF evaluate the member agencies?

**A:** CSF evaluates the member agencies in two ways: agencies must provide updated financial and program information annually; secondly, they must participate in the running of Community Services Fund. It is a community-driven fund and CSF expects all agencies to participate.

“...workplace giving option is an incredibly convenient way to make a positive difference. Donations are spread out over many months, rather than having to budget for writing one big check. I can choose organizations that align with my personal priorities and make sure that my contributions help people right here at home. I can’t think of an easier way to make Lincoln better for all of us.”

- Tracie
For 39 years, Community Services Fund has been helping Nebraska communities. You can celebrate the arts, protect our natural environment and create green spaces, provide healthcare to those who might not otherwise afford it, provide education and advocacy, and work to protect vulnerable children.

Through Community Services Fund, you get to choose the causes you care about most. By connecting with many different charitable agencies, you help to build a vibrant, creative, healthy community—one sprinkle at a time.