

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- Guide your Legacy Grant donation to the cause most important to you within DCF’s Education, Health and Wellbeing, Child Advocacy, and Personal Enrichment pillars (e.g., hunger, adoption, arts, mentoring, mental health, child advocacy, special education, outdoor recreation, etc.).
- DCF will work with you to understand your desired impact in the community and leverage our exhaustive grant review process to present you with a slate of qualified nonprofits that may be a match for your Legacy Grant.
- Legacy Grants begin with 3-year donor commitment at a minimum level of \$10,000 annually.

DONOR RECOGNITION

- Enjoy recognition through a named grant and publicity through our website and social media platforms (7,500+ followers).
- Participate in ceremonial grant recognition at the annual Denver Polo Classic (the largest charity polo tournament in the country) and/or our annual Grant Giving Ceremony.
- Enjoy exclusive photo opportunities with the organization(s) ultimately selected for your Legacy Grant.

DONOR TAX BENEFIT

- Colorado’s donor-friendly Colorado Child Care Contribution (CCC) tax credit means your donation dollars produce a return of 3.3x after credits and deductions; the examples below assume a 35% federal tax rate and 4.63% Colorado tax rate:

	Example 1	Example 2	Example 3
Donation Amount	\$10,000	\$25,000	\$50,000
CO CCC Tax Credit	-\$5,000	-\$12,500	-\$25,000
Federal Deduction	-\$1,750	-\$4,375	-\$8,750
State Deduction	-\$232	-\$579	-\$1,158
Total Cost to Donor	\$3,019	\$7,546	\$15,093
Return on Donation	3.31x	3.31x	3.31x

Note: Your tax savings may vary from this example. Please consult with your tax adviser.

- **BOTTOM LINE:** Your donation could cost you less than 30 cents on the dollar and the entirety of your contribution will be deployed in the community with no overhead/administration.



The Adoption Exchange received the Roxanne May Grant for Adoptive Children.

WHY DENVER ACTIVE 20-30?

When you invest in a Legacy Grant, DCF maximizes your investment in the community. Nearly 100 DCF members (doctors, lawyers, investment bankers, accountants, entrepreneurs, and other professionals) apply their skillsets collaboratively to identify best-in-class grant recipients. In 2021, our members spent 1,100+ hours interviewing, evaluating, and selecting the best children’s charities in Colorado based on their efficient use of donor funds, financial health, percentage of underprivileged youth served, and many other metrics. Recipients selected through this robust process are the best-of-the-best at improving the lives and futures of Colorado’s most vulnerable children.

When you invest in DCF, you empower, grow, and build the next generation of leaders who will make a difference in the community. DCF members meet the leaders of the most effective children’s charities in Denver and are coached in completing unbiased nonprofit assessments. Nonprofit Boards pursue our members and benefit from the experience they receive.

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