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## Our Vision

A province, and communities within, that embrace and proactively use recreation and parks as essential means for enhancing individual wellbeing and community vitality, economic sustainability, and natural resource protection and conservation



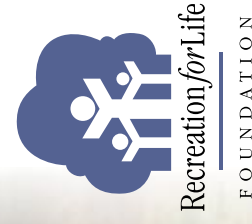
Annual Giving

Make Recreation & Parks Your

Charitable Choice"

It's as easy as 1, 2, 3...

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It's about choice...It's personal. It's about individual or family decisions. It's about taking action. It's about being "in" before asking anyone else to be "in". It's about building a movement together.

If you truly believe in recreation and parks, if you promote and defend its value in your life or through your work, you'll want to make a conscious decision to make it a top charitable giving choice. We invite you to make a contribution to the Recreation for Life Foundation to support programs and initiatives of our partner agency the Alberta Recreation and Parks Association (ARPA). It's now easier than ever!

The Recreation for Life Foundation is pleased to offer **ONLINE** giving. Now making a charitable gift to the Foundation is only a mouse click away. It's a simple three-step process:



- 1 - Go to [www.recreationforlife.org](http://www.recreationforlife.org).
- 2 - Click the "Donate Now" icon at the bottom of the page and
- 3 - Follow the instructions.

Your donation will be processed immediately and you'll receive a charitable receipt by e-mail in a matter of minutes. Through a contractual agreement with CanadaHelps.org, a proven, safe, secure, and trustworthy agency, you can make your donation instantaneously. In addition, you can make a monthly pledge or a one-time donation. Furthermore, you can direct your contribution toward any aspect of ARPA's priorities you wish. It's your choice.

## *Albertans can now benefit further from the provincial charitable tax advantages:*

### **Enhanced Charitable Tax Credit**

- Effective January 1, 2007, the Alberta government raised the charitable tax credit on eligible annual donations above \$200 by 60 per cent.
- Including the federal tax credit, Albertans now receive a 50-cent tax credit for every dollar donated over a \$200 threshold. The increase gives Alberta one of the highest charitable tax credits in Canada.
- You simply need to claim your total charitable donations on your personal income tax return each year.

**Plus, the Recreation for Life Foundation is able to use your donation as matching funds toward applying for the:**

### **Community Spirit "Donation Grant Program"**

- Maximum donation grant of \$25,000 per year, with total donation grants not to exceed \$50,000 over three years.
- \$1,000 in eligible cash donations required prior to applying.
- Can be used to support operations, programs and/or capital projects.
- Calculated on a proportional basis, and based on eligible cash donations that have been received by RFLF from individuals over a 12-month period.

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*If you prefer not to donate online, please complete the form below and mail to the Recreation for Life Foundation.*

Name:

Address:

City/Prov:

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Bill my credit card

Signature:

Card #:

Expiry:

I do not wish to be recognized for my donation.

Postal Code:

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Please send official tax receipt for my donation.