



April 6, 2020

Dear Foundation Fundholder:

Big Day of Giving is coming on Thursday, May 7! As a Sacramento Region Community Foundation fundholder, you have a special opportunity to support any of the more than 600 participating nonprofits through your Donor Advised Fund. Amid the COVID-19 crisis, our nonprofit community needs your support now more than ever.

Big Day of Giving is a great opportunity to give through your fund. The Foundation encourages grants be made from Donor Advised Funds at least once a year and requires that grants be made every three years. So, participating in Big Day of Giving ensures your fund is actively granting, gives your favorite nonprofits Big Day boosts, and counts towards the organizations' final totals.

Any time between now and Tuesday, May 5, before 5 p.m., you can schedule grants from your fund for Big Day of Giving and view a complete list of participating nonprofits by following the instructions below:

- Visit www.sacregcf.org/bdog-donate
- Complete the donation form to make unrestricted grants to the nonprofits of your choice.

Grants through Donor Advised Funds avoid credit card and transaction fees, so 100% of your donations will go directly to the nonprofits you designate! Given the current volatility of the market, however, we are limiting expendable fund grants to 50% of the most recent value. This policy is only temporary and is meant to prevent spend-outs that exceed portfolio values. If you prefer to donate by credit card rather than through your fund, you can visit www.bigdayofgiving.org between Monday, April 20, and Thursday, May 7, to give.

If you have questions about donating through your fund or would like assistance making your grants, please contact Chelsea Fahr, Director of Donor Engagement, at (916) 921-7723 ext. 2021, or chelsea@sacregcf.org.

Whether through a contribution on Big Day of Giving, a grant to the Foundation's *Community Impact Fund* to support our Strategic Initiatives, or direct support to organizations beyond Big Day of Giving, your gifts help transform our community. Please share your enthusiasm for Big Day of Giving and the Sacramento Region Community Foundation with your family, friends and colleagues, and encourage them to join you in giving. Many thanks for your ongoing generosity and leadership in making our region a vibrant place for all.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Linda Beech Cutler".

Linda Beech Cutler
Chief Executive Officer