

Rules and Requirements

The Big Give, The Columbus Foundation's 25-hour online giving rally, will take place from Wednesday, June 10, 2020 at 10:00 a.m. ET to Thursday, June 11, 2020 at 11:00 a.m. ET.



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All donations during this 25-hour period will receive a pro rata portion of a \$1 million+ Bonus Pool. (For example, if a Bonus Pool of \$1,000,000 is available and the total amount raised during The Big Give is \$4,000,000, then 25 cents will be added to every dollar donated.)

Only credit card, PayPal, Google Pay, and Apple Pay donations and Columbus Foundation Donor Advised Fund and Supporting Foundation grants received through the Foundation's Giving Store to organizations with an active Directory Listing at columbusfoundation.org will be eligible for Bonus Pool funds.

No donations via check, cash, or stock will be accepted.

The Columbus Foundation will cover all credit card fees, so 100 percent of donations will be directed to nonprofits.

The minimum donation is \$20 for credit card, PayPal, Google Pay, and Apple Pay gifts and \$100 for Donor Advised Fund and Supporting Foundation grant suggestions.

Organizations that do not have bank account information on file with The Columbus Foundation are not eligible to participate.

Organizations are prohibited from donating to themselves. All donations must be designated for operating support or a predetermined advertised purpose. Donations cannot be given to any named fund or organization endowment fund, whether at The Columbus Foundation or another grantmaking entity or investment vehicle, unless noted.

Charitable Gift Card purchases and redemptions are not eligible for Bonus Pool funds.

Donations, once given, cannot be rescinded.

Nonprofits will be able to view preliminary donation information in real-time. Our goal is to distribute all funds to nonprofits from The Big Give by July 31, 2020.

Nonprofits in the eligible 10 counties must submit a Directory Listing request form and required documentation by May 31, 2020 to participate in The Big Give.

Due to IRS regulations, pre-existing pledges cannot be made through Donor Advised Funds during The Big Give.

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*Eligible counties include Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Hocking, Licking, Madison, Morrow, Perry, Pickaway, and Union.