

Grow Your Gift Through Tax Credits

With your donation to Mile High United Way, you can take advantage of tax credit programs that enable you to give more, receive something in return and possibly multiply your gift in the process.

When you give a minimum gift of \$500 by check or credit card to an eligible United Way agency or project, you will receive either a 25% or 50% tax credit from the State of Colorado.

(For complete details and a listing of eligible agencies, visit www.unitedwaydenver.org.)

Denver Enterprise Zone (DEZ)

Direct your gift to a Denver Enterprise Zone (DEZ) project or agency, and you will be eligible for a 25% tax credit when you file your state income tax return. For example, for a minimum gift of \$500, you would receive a \$125 tax credit from the State. Your DEZ gift supports our Adult Self Sufficiency Initiative. (Donors may give gifts of stock to the DEZ, but the tax credit may vary.) If giving a gift of stock to the Enterprise Zone, please contact your donor relations representative at 303-433-8383.

Child Care Contribution Credit (CCCC)

Help increase the quality and availability of child care in metro Denver through the Colorado Child Care Contribution Credit (CCCC). You will be eligible for a 50% tax credit when you file your Colorado income tax return. Your minimum gift of \$500 may net you a \$250 tax credit from the State. CCCC supports the School Readiness Initiative by providing quality early childhood education and after-school opportunities for metro Denver's children and youth. (In-kind gifts, such as stock, cannot be used for the Colorado Child Care Contribution Credit.)

Here's an even greater option. Direct your gift to *Mile High United Way's Child Care Fund*, *Lights On After School* program or the *School Readiness Initiative*, and receive a 50% tax credit. Your gift may also be matched with Federal matching funds through the Child Care and Development Fund which will bring added dollars into Colorado. Your minimum gift of \$500 means a \$250 tax credit for you and \$1,000 worth of quality child care in metro Denver and the State of Colorado.

Benefits to You

- Considerable tax savings.
- Both individuals and corporations can take advantage of tax credits.
- Excess tax credits may be carried forward for up to five years.

Guidelines

- Payroll deduction does not apply.
- Tax credit donations must be a minimum of \$500.
- Donations may be made by check or credit card. All donations should include a pledge form showing DEZ or CCCC agency/program selection.
- Donations and pledge forms may be given to your company campaign chair or mailed to:

Mile High United Way
2505 18th Street
Denver, CO 80211-3939

Mile High United Way Projects*

	DEZ	CCCC
Denver's Road Home	•	
Lights On After School		•
Mile High United Way Child Care Fund		•
Mile High United Way 2-1-1 Fund	•	•
School Readiness Initiative		•

* Please visit www.unitedwaydenver.org for a description of these projects.

Tax Credit Agencies

	DEZ	CCCC
Adams County Dist. 14 Child Care Center		•
Big Brothers Big Sisters		•
Boy Scouts of America, Denver Area Council	•	•
Boys and Girls Clubs of Metro Denver, Inc.	•	•
Catholic Charities and Community Services of the Archdiocese of Denver, Inc.		•
The Center for Hearing, Speech and Language		•
Cerebral Palsy of Colorado		•
Colorado Coalition for the Homeless	•	•
Colorado I Have A Dream Foundation	•	•
Community Outreach Service Center	•	
Denver Inner City Parish	•	
Family HomeStead	•	
Girl Scouts Mile Hi Council		•
Girls Incorporated of Metro Denver		•
Hope Center, Inc.	•	•
Jewish Family Service of Colorado	•	
Robert E. Loup Jewish Community Center		•
Lutheran Family Services, Foster Care Program		•
Mi Casa Resource Center for Women	•	
Mile High Montessori Early Learning Centers		•
Mount Saint Vincent Home		•
Parent Pathways		•
SafeHouse Denver	•	
The Salvation Army	•	•
Samaritan House Shelter	•	
Senior Support Services, Inc.	•	
Urban Peak	•	
Volunteers of America	•	•
Warren Village Learning Center		•
The Washington Street Community Center		•
Young Men's Christian Association of Metropolitan Denver (YMCA)		•
YouthBiz, Inc.	•	•

As with all charitable donations, please consult with your accountant or tax specialist.