



Guide to Giving to Local Motion

Your support helps to ensure that biking and walking becomes a way of life in every corner of Vermont.

Ways to Give

General Donation Any Time - We welcome a gift of any amount at any time! You can give online, by check, or in person at the Trailside Center, or even at an event.

Monthly Sustainer Giving - Monthly gifts are convenient for you and help provide financial stability for Local Motion.

Annual Appeals - About a third of our donations are received during our spring and year-end appeals to provide critical funding for our programming and operations.

Giving Days - We host fundraising days throughout the year for very special purchases—like an adaptive electric-assist bike or hand cycle for our *Bike Smart* school bicycle education program.

Workplace Giving - A simple and cost-effective way to give is through employers who offer a workplace giving program, often through payroll deductions. Some employers will even match their employees' gifts! Vermont State Employees can now give to Local Motion through the [VT Shares](#) campaign.

Tribute Gifts - Make a tradition of giving in honor of someone special, or in memory of a loved one.

Donating Securities - A gift of appreciated stocks or other securities to our account at Charles Schwab can be a tax-savvy option.

Planned Giving - We have partnered with the Vermont Community Foundation to provide a wide range of planned giving opportunities including annuities, trusts, charitable bequests, our endowment, and more.

Other Ways to Support Our Mission

Business Membership and Sponsorship - Businesses enjoy many benefits by becoming members, from customized workshops to great publicity. We also welcome in-kind contributions like event space, catering, and more.

Volunteer - Join the dozens of your neighbors who contribute thousands of hours every year at the Bike Ferry, Valet Bike Parking, in the office, and more.

Stay Tuned & Speak Out - Follow us on social media and sign up for our seasonal e-newsletters. Sign a petition, write an email to your city council or select board, or participate in a public meeting.

For more information about how your support makes an impact, visit localmotion.org/our_work

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