



What is the Women's Giving Fund?

The Women's Giving Fund of IECF was established in 2017 as a way to encourage women to give locally and cultivate a culture of philanthropy. Two years ago, the Fund was called the Women's Giving Circle where donors gave an annual contribution of \$1,000. The new focus of the Fund encourages inclusion by allowing gifts of all and any size and no annual contribution is required. Through the power of collaborative giving, the Fund will award grants to nonprofits whose programs promote the economic security for women and their families in the Inland Empire.

As the Fund grows, all contributions will be directed where the need is the greatest and support the community for maximum impact. Grants will be made annually and decided by participants on the Grants Committee.

Furthermore, the Fund will bring donors together at social events to learn about and invest in programs that are doing the work of transforming lives in the region. We can't wait for you to get involved and tell others.

What are the benefits of the Women's Giving Fund?

- Give simply and easily through the Fund
- Learn about issues and organizations that are impacting women and children
- Get involved and make grant recommendations
- Support nonprofits organizations that meet the needs of women and their families in the Inland Empire
- Network with other philanthropic women who are giving back and living their passion!

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- An inclusive space for women donors
- A simple giving vehicle that enables you to focus your giving on women and children in need
- Experience the power of collaborative giving
- Learn about women's economic security issues

Who can give to the Women's Giving Fund?

Individuals, families, and businesses can give to the Women's Giving Fund. Donors who make a gift to this Fund have an interest in supporting programs and organizations in the IE that benefit women and children.

How does the Women's Giving Fund work?

- Donors like you give to the fund which pools donations from many donors
- A call for proposals goes to nonprofits serving women and children and their issues
- A Committee of volunteers and staff reviews submitted proposals and gives their recommendations to IECF's Board which has final approval
- Learn at future Women's Giving Fund meetings how gifts were given and their impact

If you are interested in giving to the Women's Giving Fund or would like more information, contact **Darcy McNaboe, Regional Charitable Giving Officer at dmcnaboe@iegives.org or call 951.241.7777.**

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