

How to Contribute to the Wikimedia Endowment

Thank you for considering a gift that will benefit Wikipedia for generations to come!

The Wikimedia Endowment is housed at the Tides Foundation (Tax ID# 51-0198509) and can receive contributions through the following methods:

Online at wikimediaendowment.org/donate

Due to precautions in place because of the Covid-19 pandemic, we encourage donors to use online donation methods for gifts up to \$12,000 USD. We accept Visa, Mastercard, American Express, Discover, or PayPal.

Checks by Postal Mail

Donations by check are processed at our lockbox, located at:

Wikimedia Foundation, Inc.
P.O. Box 98204
Washington, DC 20090-8204

Make your check payable to “Tides Foundation,” with “Wikimedia Endowment (Fund #2072)” written on the memo line. Please note that, due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, there may be a delay in depositing your check.

Donor Advised Funds

The Wikimedia Endowment can accept grants from Community Foundations and Donor Advised Funds (DAFs). Simply recommend a grant from your DAF to the “Wikimedia Endowment (Fund #2072) at the Tides Foundation” on the recommendation form.

QCD Giving

Qualified Charitable Distributions (QCDs), also known as IRA Charitable Rollovers, are the savviest way for individuals age 70.5 or older to use their Individual Retirement Accounts to maximize their charitable impact to the Wikimedia Endowment. Have your financial custodian follow the instructions for “Checks by Postal Mail” above or use the free online tool at freewill.com/qcd/wikipedia.

Legacy Giving

Help ensure the future of free knowledge for generations to come by naming the Wikimedia Endowment in your will, or as a beneficiary of your life insurance policy, retirement assets, or bank/brokerage accounts. Email endowment@wikimedia.org or call us at 415-758-8574 to discuss these and other planned giving options.

Other Ways to Give

The Tides Foundation can accept gifts by ACH, Wire Transfer, Stock, or Cryptocurrency, on behalf of the Wikimedia Endowment.

ACH or Wire Transfer

Transfer your funds to:

Bank Name: Wells Fargo Bank

Bank Address: 420 Montgomery Street, San Francisco, CA 94104

ABA#: 121000248

SWIFT Code: WFBIUS6S

Account Name: Tides Foundation - Depository Account

Account #: 4518101969

Stock Donation

To make a stock donation, transfer the securities to the Wikimedia Endowment Fund c/o the Tides Foundation at:

Financial Institution: US Bank, N.A., Trust

DTC #: 2803

Account Name: 1022-TF

Account #: TF-1001-3

Institution or Bank ID: 26645

Cryptocurrency

Contact endowment@wikimedia.org for instructions on how to donate cryptocurrency from Bitcoin, Lifecoin, Ethereum, Bitcoin Cash, DASH, or Zcash.

For ACH, Wire Transfer, Stock, or Cryptocurrency donations, please email the following gift details to endowment@wikimedia.org or return this form by postal mail to: Wikimedia Foundation, 1 Montgomery Street, Suite 1600, San Francisco, CA 94104. **Without this important step**, we are unable to ensure your gift is directed to the Wikimedia Endowment, nor can we issue a tax receipt acknowledging your gift.

Donor Name: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____

Phone _____ Email _____

ACH or Wire Transfer in the amount of \$ _____

Transfer of _____ number of shares of _____ security

Date contribution is expected to arrive _____