

Community Relations:

The Calgary Zoo is a not-for-profit registered charity that is pleased to support community initiatives that are in line with our mission of conservation and education. This program is called *Zoo in Your Community*.

The Calgary Zoo receives an overwhelming number of requests for community donations. As such, recipients of *Zoo in Your Community* donations must satisfy one of the following criteria:

- Must be an organization with a directive to assist children in need**
- Must be an organization that can demonstrate its commitment to environmental conservation (education, research, project work) or direct support of a Calgary Zoo initiative
- Must be a community neighbour that supports one of the above criteria

***All requests based on economic disadvantage are directed to contact Zooshare (City of Calgary, 311 – “Fee Assistance”)*

Please note, the Calgary Zoo does not make donations to the following organizations:

- Minor sports teams or similar organizations
- Political parties or candidates
- Individuals representing a charity on a personal basis
- Third party requests – an organization fundraising on behalf of a non-profit
- Religious organizations
- Schools, unless special needs
- Lobbying/advocacy groups
- Corporate foundations, private clubs and professional associations
- Profit making ventures

If your organization meets the criteria, please click on FORM and fill out the request form for submission.

If your organization is not eligible, please note the following alternatives:

- Zoo coupons are located at our Special Offers page of the website
- Economically disadvantaged may contact Zooshare, run by the City of Calgary Fee Assistance Program. Call 311 and ask for “Fee Assistance” to request Zoo admission passes for your group
- If you are currently an organization that donates to the Zoo, please contact our Development Department directly at 232-9334

ZOO IN YOUR COMMUNITY DONATION REQUEST FORM

To request a charitable donation from the Calgary Zoo in Your Community Program, please provide the following information:

Name of Organization/Charity: _____

Are you a not-for-profit registered charity? If yes, provide your number here:

Name of Organizing Company (if different from above):

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Contact Name: _____

Contact Telephone: (daytime) _____ (cell) _____
Contact Fax: _____ Email: _____
Name of _____
Event/Cause: _____
Event Description: _____

Date of Event: _____
(Please note we require at least four weeks notice)
Location of Event: _____
Expected Number of Attendees: _____

- How will a Calgary Zoo donation benefit your organization?

- How will the Calgary Zoo be profiled, if at all?

What type of donation are you seeking? Please check one of the following:

- Family Pack: 4 admission passes; 2 adult, 2 child
- Value Pack: 10 x 2 for 1 admission passes
- Contra Pack: Product exchange for Zoogala auction (ie. A select number of passes in exchange for an auctionable product/service)

Please submit your completed form to:
Zoo in Your Community
Calgary Zoo
1300 Zoo Rd. NE
Calgary, Alberta T2E 7V6
Fax: (403) 237-7582

Thank you for your request. Only those requests that we can fulfill will be contacted for mail out or pick up. No phone calls please. Only one request per year.

The Calgary Zoo is a Not-for-Profit Charitable Organization that relies on the generosity of donors at every level to help guarantee its continued growth and its work in conservation, education, recreation and scientific study. Charitable registration #118824192 RR0001.