

Donating Stock or Other Securities

Donating appreciated securities to the National Park Foundation is a wonderful way to help the National Parks. Before making such a gift, please discuss your particular situation, including tax benefits, with your financial advisor.

In order to reap the maximum value from a gift of appreciated securities, the security should be transferred to the National Park Foundation. Following the transaction, the Foundation will sell the security and put the proceeds right to work for the Parks.

For internal purposes, NPF follows IRS guidance that establishes the value of the stock by calculating the mean average price on the date ownership is transferred. Many donors also choose to calculate their tax deduction this way using a receipt from NPF that notes the name and number of shares, the date they were received into NPF's account, and the high and low values per share on the date the securities were transferred.

To make a gift of securities, please provide the following information to your financial advisor, along with the security name and number of shares. ***It is very important that you also alert the National Park Foundation*** of your gift so we can identify it when it arrives in our account, and ensure you receive credit for the donation (the Foundation does not receive donor information with the securities). Please fill out the following form, save as a new version, and email or mail the Foundation with a copy of the written instructions you provide to your financial advisor. NPF's tax identification number is 52-1086761.

Stock Transfer Instructions:

To transfer shares to the Vanguard Group on behalf of the National Park Foundation please provide the following information to your financial advisor:

DTC#: 0062

Vanguard Brokerage Account (VBS) #: 11141183

For more information regarding gifts of stock, please contact us at (888) GOPARKS (888-467-2757) or donorservices@nationalparks.org.

Thank you for your generosity!

Stock Notification Form (please send to the Foundation at the email/address below)

Your Name	
Your Address	
Your Phone Number	
Your Email	
Stock Name/Symbol	
Number of Shares	
Transfer Agent	
Date of Transfer	
Additional Information/Designation	

Please return this form to:

Address: Attn: Gift Processing
National Park Foundation
1500 K Street NW, Suite 700
Washington, DC 20005

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