

# WAYS TO GIVE

Donors to the DMARC *Food Today, Change Tomorrow* Campaign have a variety of options to consider when making a charitable contribution. DMARC accepts the following giving vehicles:

- 1. Cash
- 2. Check
- 3. Credit Card
- 4. ACH/EFT
- 5. Gifts of Stock
- 6. Gifts of Grain

Of the above examples, the first four are the most common methods for gifts to a campaign of this kind. Any donor choosing to give by cash or check will receive reminder statements from DMARC according to the payment plan specified on his/her signed pledge form.

Donors indicating a desire to give using a credit card or ACH/EFT are asked to take into consideration the transaction fee, to turn in their signed commitment card, and then donate online on DMARC's website—hover over the "DONATE" button on the website banner and click "Donate Online".

Donors interested in giving a gift of grain should contact the DMARC office.

Des Moines Area Religious Council 1435 Mulberry Street Des Moines, IA 50309

#### Questions?

For more information on making a pledge or completing your pledge transaction, please contact Leslie Garman, Director of Development and Outreach, at <u>lgarman@dmarcunited.org</u> or (515) 277-6969 x 13 or Eric Heininger, Campaign Director, at (515) 705-3336.

All gifts are tax deductible to the fullest extent of the law. This guide provides general guidance only. For legal and tax advice, donors are asked to contact their attorneys, accountants or financial advisors.

While not required, we strongly encourage all donors to make an initial payment of 10% at the time of their pledge. All gifts are tax deductible to the extent provided by law and may be remitted monthly, quarterly, semi-annually or annually.

Please make all checks and securities payable to Des Moines Area Religious Council.

The DMARC *Food Today, Change Tomorrow* Campaign accepts gifts in a variety of forms with an emphasis on those which can be used immediately.

Pledges allow campaign donors to consider more substantial commitments than are possible with one-time cash gifts. Stock and other property which can be easily liquidated are also options when considering your campaign gift. By making a gift of appreciated stock or property, you may reduce or avoid capital gains. Please consult your tax professional. If you are interested in making a stock gift, please call the DMARC office and ask for Leslie Garman, Director of Development and Outreach.

### STOCK TRANSFER INSTRUCTIONS

In regard to stock donations, DAMRC has included additional Stock Transfer Instructions for this purpose. Donors indicating a desire to give a gift of stock should contact the DMARC office after obtaining the appropriate forms from the company holding the stock.

For partial or complete fulfillment of a pledge to the DMARC *Food Today, Change Tomorrow* Campaign through a gift of publicly held stock via electronic transfer, please call DMARC at (515) 277-6969 to receive the following information:

Account Name:	
Account Number:	
Receiving Firm:	
Receiving DTC:	

Thank you for your gift! Your support is essential to Des Moines for generations to come.

# TABLE OF GIFTS NEEDED

# Table of Gifts to Raise \$5.6 Million

\$500,000	2	6	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
\$250,000	4	12	\$1,000,000	\$2,000,000
\$100,000	5	15	\$500,000	\$2,500,000
\$75,000	8	24	\$600,000	\$3,100,000
\$50,000	12	36	\$600,000	\$3,700,000
\$25,000	15	45	\$375,000	\$4,075,000
\$10,000	30	90	\$300,000	\$4,375,000
\$6,000	45	135	\$270,000	\$4,645,000
\$3,000	60	180	\$180,000	\$4,825,000
Less than \$3,000	Many	Many	\$175,000	\$5,000,000
Total	181	543	\$5,000,000	\$5,600,000

