



Welcome to The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. PRAIRIE LEGACY SOCIETY!

We are so honored, delighted, and of course, grateful, that you've chosen to support The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. through your charitable estate or planned giving plans!

In doing so, you have become part of a growing number of individual and families who wish to leave behind a true legacy, a gift that will last forever—the perseverance and perpetuation of native and restored prairies and oak savannas in the Upper Midwest. Without your support, this simply would not be possible!

As you may or may not know, **all planned and estate gift donors** that let The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. know about their planned gift commitment, **between now and July 1, 2012**—regardless of gift size—**will automatically become a Prairie Legacy Society Charter Member**. (All those who join after July 1, 2010 will be considered simply Prairie Legacy Society *Members*, vs. *Charter Members*.)

Those whose gift and estate plans include a **gift of \$25,000 or more** (in cash, stock, securities, personal property and/or land) will become part of our prestigious **Prairie Legacy Circle**, regardless of when you let us know of your gift.

Please note: Any information provided here is **completely voluntary** and will be held in the strictest of **confidence**. Submitting this form is entirely optional, but we hope we can give you the thanks and recognition you deserve, while you yourself are still lucky enough to enjoy it!

Again, thank you again for your commitment and enthusiasm for our mission and vision!

You make the difference!

The following information will be used solely for The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. organizational records, in order to ensure proper recognition as a **Prairie Legacy Society** member, as well as to provide accurate fulfillment and responsible stewardship of your planned or estate gift.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Employer/Business: _____ Retired

Current or Former Title/Position: _____

Company Address: _____

Do you know if your current employer (or former, if retired) has a matching gift program? _____

Type Of Gift:

- ____ Cash
- ____ IRA/Retirement Assets
- ____ Life Insurance Benefits
- ____ Stocks/Bonds/Mutual Funds
- ____ Real Estate
- ____ Gift Annuity
- ____ Personal Property or Equipment—please describe, in detail: _____
- _____
- ____ Other (Please describe) _____

Estimated value of gift: \$ _____

By submitting this document, I/we will become a member(s) of **The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. Prairie Legacy Program**. For publication and recognition purposes, I/we provide the following direction:

- ____ I/We give permission to be named in TPE publications.
- ____ I/We wish to remain **anonymous**.
- ____ I/We wish to keep the **exact dollar amount confidential** when being recognized (other than being recognized as a member of the (\$25,000+) Prairie Legacy Circle.

**Name(s) as it should appear in publications:

I would like to direct my gift to:

- ____ Annual Fund/Annual Appeal
- ____ Operations Endowment
- ____ Easement Monitoring & Defense Endowment
- ____ The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc. Land Trust
- ____ John Thomson Memorial Fund for Education
- ____ Land Acquisition Fund
- ____ Legal Defense Fund
- ____ TPE Chapter (Name of Chapter) _____
- ____ TPE owned or managed property (Name of Property) _____
- ____ Where it's most needed (at the discretion of current board of directors)

Please describe below any other specific directions and/or restrictions to your gift, if applicable.

Also, if you'd like to give a **testimonial** as to the importance of your commitment, and/or your own personal reasoning behind your planned gift—**in order to encourage others to do the same**—please check this box . Development Director, Dani Stolley, will be in contact with you shortly!

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20_____.

(Donor Signature)

(Donor Print)

Please mail this form to:

**The Prairie Enthusiasts, Inc.
PO Box 1148
Madison, WI 53701-1148**

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