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# LIVE UNITED™



## Thank you for supporting the United Way of Douglas County!

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Mr.  Mrs.  Ms.  Dr. First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer/Department: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Employee ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature to Authorize Pledge: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Please take just a few moments....  
(check all that apply)

**GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER.**

- I prefer that my gift remains anonymous.
- Please do NOT issue me a Caring Club Discount Card for my gift of \$144 or more. (see back for details)
- Please send me information about volunteering in the community.
- I am a Loyal Contributor of 10 years or more and I've been giving to United Way for \_\_\_\_\_ (number) years.

### Please choose how you want to invest in the community:

#### PAYROLL DEDUCTION

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per pay period x  Weekly (52 pays)  
 2 x per month(24 pays)  
 Bi Weekly (26 pays)  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

#### CASH/CHECK (enclosed)

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Cash  Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
*Please make checks payable to United Way of Douglas County.*

#### DIRECT BILL (home address)

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Monthly  Quarterly  Semiannually  Once on \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
*Billing begins January 1 unless otherwise noted.*

#### CREDIT CARD:

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

- Monthly  Quarterly  Semiannually  Once on \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
 VISA  Mastercard  American Express  
 Card # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Exp Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

### LEADERSHIP GIVERS

**of the SPIRIT OF KAW VALLEY ASSOCIATION** are those who lead by example, who enrich the lives of others and are thereby enriched themselves. Make the biggest impact possible -- invest in your community at a level that is meaningful to you:

- |                              |                               |
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| Trailblazer (\$5000 or more) | Settler (\$1500 - \$2249)     |
| Patriot (\$3500 - \$4999)    | Homesteader (\$1000 - \$1449) |
| Pathfinder (\$2250 - \$3499) | Pioneer (\$750 - \$999)       |

#### Combined Gift?

- Yes, I want to combine my gift with my spouse/partner:  
 Spouse's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Gift \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Spouse's Employer \_\_\_\_\_  
 For Recognition, please list our names as follows:

### CARING CLUB

Your gift of \$144 or more to the United Way of Douglas County qualifies you for the Caring Club®, with great year round discounts to area restaurants and services. See back of form for details and list of merchants.



### Designation Opportunities (optional)

**COMMUNITY FUND.** Local volunteers will invest your contribution in United Way Partner Agencies based on community needs. This is the best way for your gift to have a significant impact.

**COMMUNITY FOCUS AREAS** (check one)  
 Directs your contribution to one of the United Way's focus areas.

- Family, Children & Youth  Health  Self-Sufficiency  
 Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMUNITY IMPACT FUND.** Fosters collaboration with organizations across the community, including "Prosperity Partners."  
 Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER UNITED WAY.** Directs your contribution to a United Way outside of Douglas County.  
 Community \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_  
 Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### Please refer to list of Partner Agencies on back of pledge form.

**SPECIFIC UNITED WAY PARTNER AGENCY.** Directs your gift to a designated agency. See agency key on back of form.

- Agency No. \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ *Minimum \$26 each agency.*  
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**AGENCY EXCLUSION.** Directs your contribution to exclude a specific agency from receiving any benefit from your gift.

- Agency No. \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_ *Minimum \$26 each agency.*  
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- All funds pledged and collected during the 2009 United Way campaign will be allocated in 2010. If a non-qualifying agency or less than \$26 is designated, the gift will be redirected to the Community Fund.
- United Way of Douglas County does not provide goods or services in consideration for any contributions, other than those considered "insubstantial" as defined in IRS Publication #1771.
- United Way of Douglas County's overhead and campaign costs average 12.7%. In addition, we experience an average 4% annual pledge loss. These results impact all gifts processed by the UWDC equally.

## LOYAL CONTRIBUTORS

LOYAL CONTRIBUTORS are donors who have contributed to ANY United Way for 10 years or more. United Way appreciates the longstanding support of these loyal contributors who have made an impact in their community with their annual gift of ANY amount. Please indicate the number of years you have made a gift to United Way on the front, top portion of this pledge form.



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## A LASTING GIFT: THE FOREVER UNITED ENDOWMENT

Whether you intend to make a gift now or in the future, the United Way offers a variety of Planned Giving options to meet the charitable and financial objectives that are important to you. For information about Planned Giving through the Forever United Endowment, please contact the United Way at 785-843-6626 or [uwdirector@unitedwaydgco.org](mailto:uwdirector@unitedwaydgco.org).

### RECEIPT FOR TAX PURPOSES

This document serves as a receipt for your tax deductible gift. Any cash/check/credit card contribution over \$250 will also receive a printed receipt from the United Way of Douglas County. If you would like to receive a receipt for your gift of less than \$250, please contact the United Way office. Thank you.

Living United means being a part of advancing the common good.

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## 2009-2010 UNITED WAY OF DOUGLAS COUNTY PARTNER AGENCIES FOCUS AREAS & Designation Codes

### Building Successful Families, Children and Youth

United Way helps families become stronger and supports quality child care, school readiness, and safe, enriching environments for children and youth.

- 101 Ballard Community Services
- 102 Big Brothers Big Sisters
- 103 Boy Scouts of America
- 104 Boys & Girls Club
- 105 Douglas County CASA
- 106 Douglas County Child Development Association
- 107 Girl Scouts of NE KS & NW MO
- 108 Success By 6
- 109 Van Go Mobile Arts

### Creating a Healthier Community

United Way provides access to quality healthcare services, support for persons with chronic illnesses and disaster preparedness programming.

- 201 American Red Cross
- 203 Douglas County AIDS Project
- 204 Douglas County Dental Clinic
- 205 Douglas County Visiting Nurses, Rehabilitation and Hospice Care
- 206 Headquarters Counseling Center
- 207 Health Care Access Clinic

*United Way encourages volunteerism and strengthens area non-profits to better serve the community by:*

- offering year round educational programs
- managing the United Way Center for Human Services
- managing the Roger Hill Volunteer Center

### Fostering Self-Sufficiency

United Way supports efforts to create more self-sufficient adults and families, and helps seniors live independently as long as possible.

- 301 Douglas County Legal Aid Society
- 302 GaDuGi SafeCenter
- 303 Housing & Credit Counseling
- 304 Lawrence Community Shelter
- 305 Meals on Wheels
- 306 The Arc of Douglas County
- 307 The Salvation Army
- 308 Trinity In-Home Care
- 309 Women's Transitional Care Services

*Donor designations are first dollars applied to allocation commitments. Minimum \$26 each agency please.*

## The Caring Club®



Local businesses want to thank you for supporting your community through United Way by offering you special discounts! You are invited to join thousands of your neighbors in the Caring Club® when you qualify by:

- **Designating your gift to the United Way of Douglas County or one of its funded programs or Partner Agencies listed above**
- **Contributing a minimum of \$144 annually**
- **Providing your home address so your card can be mailed to your home**

These participating merchants are providing discounts through 2010. Thank you for your support!

23rd Street Brewery  
Baldwin Athletic Club  
Best Buy  
Biemer's BBQ  
Bigg's Barbeque  
Chiropractic Health Center  
Cold Stone Creamery  
Debbie Blaker's Gold Canyon Candles  
Enterprise Rent-A-Car

Floor Trader  
Gambino's Pizza  
Godfather's Pizza  
Golf USA  
Hygienic Dry Cleaners  
Jane Bateman, The Interiors Store  
Jersey Mike's Subs  
Marisco's  
Merry Maids

Pawsh Wash  
RACO Car Wash  
Royal Crest Lanes  
Savvi Formal Wear  
Scarlet Orchid  
Sun Fire Ceramics  
TEN Restaurant  
The Lied Center  
The Lodge of Baldwin City  
The UPS Store

Therapyworks  
Wellness Center  
Wheat State Pizza  
Winfield House

Get the complete list with discount details at [www.unitedwaydgco.org](http://www.unitedwaydgco.org).