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## **Communities Foundation of Texas' North Texas Giving Day Season Kicks off on August 28**

*Early Giving Builds Momentum Ahead of the Nation's Largest Community-Wide Giving Event  
on Thursday, September 18*

Communities Foundation of Texas' **North Texas Giving Day**, the nation's largest community-wide giving event, returns September 18. But giving is officially open online August 28, via [northtexasgivingday.org](https://northtexasgivingday.org).

The annual online fundraising movement encourages everyone to give to causes they care about locally, supporting any of nearly 3,600 participating nonprofits across 20 counties in North Texas. This year's Giving Day hosts the most nonprofits participating in its seventeen-year history.

In 2024, generous North Texans collectively donated nearly \$70 million through North Texas Giving Day, benefiting thousands of nonprofits and causes ranging from education, health, and social services to arts, environment, and animal welfare. Since its launch in 2009, North Texas Giving Day has raised more than half a billion dollars for the region.

"Thousands of nonprofits count on this day to further their missions, said **Wayne White**, President and CEO at Communities Foundation of Texas. "As we enter this year's giving season, we're reminded that the need is great, and the time is now to support our community's nonprofits. Collective giving transforms lives, and North Texas Giving Day makes it easy to participate. We hope our entire region will join in supporting the causes they care about."

North Texas Giving Day is more than a fundraiser—it's a community-wide celebration of generosity. Every gift, no matter the size, has a lasting impact on local nonprofits and the communities they serve. Donations can be made online at [NorthTexasGivingDay.org](https://NorthTexasGivingDay.org)

Amazon is celebrating its fifth year as Presenting Sponsor.

"North Texas Giving Day empowers every person to support causes they care about in the community, said Amazon's Head of Community Affairs in Texas, **Vickie Yakunin**. "Amazon is proud to invest in this day of giving and to support nonprofits driving change for North Texans today and into the future."

The excitement and generosity of North Texas Giving Day builds through a [series of free community events](#) across North Texas now through September 18, 2025.

All are encouraged to give what they can by visiting [NorthTexasGivingDay.org](https://NorthTexasGivingDay.org) to donate now via credit card, ApplePay, GooglePay, PayPal, or Venmo. Communities Foundation of Texas, sponsors, and generous givers cover all transaction and technology fees on donations made on NorthTexasGivingDay.org, so 100% of every tax-deductible online gift goes directly to nonprofits. Every participating nonprofit is IRS-recognized and in good standing with state and local requirements.

For those who are new to North Texas Giving Day, or just need a little help choosing from the nearly 3,600 local nonprofits to give to, there's a helpful [online quiz](#) on the website.

This year's North Texas Giving Day ends at midnight on September 18, 2025.

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Communities Foundation is committed to serving and understanding donor needs, expertly handling complex gifts, wisely managing charitable funds, and leveraging its community knowledge to increase charitable impact, in addition to powering several initiatives including the W. W. Caruth, Jr. Fund, CFT for Business, Educate Texas, Emerging Leaders in Philanthropy, GiveWisely, and North Texas Giving Day. Learn more at [CFTexas.org](https://CFTexas.org).