

VEHICLE DONATION PROGRAM

FAQ's

Wondering what to do with your used car, motorcycle, RV or truck? Donating your used vehicle to TCA is convenient, easy, and may qualify you for a tax deduction. And best of all, your donation will make a big difference in supporting TCA. Why not donate your vehicle today? All you need to do is to complete the simple online donation form:

www.onecommunityauto.com/car-donation

or call 505-379-3432 and we'll take care of the rest. Our partners at One Community Auto will pick up your vehicle, arrange to have it towed, and provide you with a tax-deductible receipt, all at no charge to you. Representatives can answer your questions about the program and begin processing your donation. Below are answers to the most frequently asked questions:

WHAT CAN I DONATE?

You can donate most vehicles to TCA, including cars, trucks, boats, airplanes, motorcycles and recreational vehicles. TCA Vehicle Donation program accepts donations in New Mexico and nation-wide. Call us at 505-379-3432 for details. Your vehicle will either be sold at auction or sent to an auto recycler and a portion of the proceeds of the sale will be directed to TCA

IS MY DONATION TAX-DEDUCTIBLE?

Yes. TCA is a 501(c) (3) non-profit organization. All donations to TCA qualify as a charitable deduction on your federal income tax return.

WHAT DO I NEED TO DONATE MY CAR?

The title to the car must be in your name. We will also need some information about where the car is located and the condition of the car. This will assist us in scheduling appropriate towing arrangements.

WILL YOU PICK UP MY CAR?

Yes, a tow company will call you to schedule the pick-up of your vehicle. You will need to give the driver the keys to the vehicle as well as your signed title. You will be instructed on how to sign the title.

The driver may have you sign some paperwork authorizing the tow. The driver will leave you a tow receipt showing that he/she collected the vehicle on behalf of TCA.

CAN I DROP OFF MY CAR AT A DONATION SITE?

Yes, in Albuquerque you may drop off your vehicle at 9501 Susan Ave. S.E., Albuquerque, NM 87123. Let them know the donation is for Taos Center for the Arts. Nationwide call 505-379-3432 to find a convenient drop off location in your state.

HOW IS THE VALUE OF MY CAR DETERMINED?

The IRS allows you to take a charitable tax deduction on your federal income tax form equal to the amount the vehicle sells for at auction unless it sells for less than \$500. If your vehicle sells for less than \$500 you may deduct no more than \$500. If your vehicle sells for more than \$500, we will need to get additional information from you so that we can send you IRS form 1098C. We recommend you consult your tax advisor with questions about your deduction.

TCA thanks you for your generosity!