



MUCFA
840 N Montana St.
Dillon, MT 59725

November 15, 2018

Re: End of the Year Giving Campaign.

Dear Tree Enthusiast,

2018 has been an amazing year for the Montana Urban and Community Forestry Association (MUCFA). MUCFA helped sponsor eight arborist trainings in 2018 around the state; most notably the Montana Tree Worker Academy held in April in partnership with ISA Rocky Mountain Chapter and the City of Bozeman. The Academy provided training to new and veteran climbers along with providing aerial rescue training. In 2019, we are planning to sponsor even more events to raise the level of training in Montana and provide CEU's to arborists.



MUCFA presented five awards in 2018 for amazing tree work around the state. Project of the Year: Roundup Montana; Urban Forestry Community of the Year: Townsend Montana; Arborist of the Year: Steve Riley; Corporate Partner of the Year: Scott Bernhardt & NorthWestern Energy; and Media of the Year: Tizer Botanical Gardens. All the award winners continue to do great work in Montana in the name of urban forestry.

MUCFA provided funding to five urban forestry projects around the state. Funding one such project allowed Sidney Montana to create a small "pot in pot" nursery to help diversify the city. Sidney has no local nursery to go buy trees at so they have to have them shipped in. By establishing a nursery, Sidney will be able to grow different varieties of trees right in their community.

With Federal and State funds becoming scarce now more than ever is the time for individuals and the industry to step up. With your support, in 2019, more grants can be given to



communities and companies doing tree work in Montana.

Please consider making an end of the year tax **deductable** gift in support of MUCFA and the future of Trees in Montana.

Donate any amount on MUCFA's website <http://mucfa.com/get-involved> or send the enclosed form back.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Fred Bicha", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Fred Bicha
MUCFA Chair
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<https://www.facebook.com/MontanaUrbanForestry/>



Yes I want to support the work of MUCFA!

Name:

Address:

Phone #:

Email Address:

Bur Oak- \$500.00

Norway Maple- \$250.00

Honey Locust- \$100.00

Red Oak- \$50.00

Catalpa- \$25.00

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Better yet, I would like to support MUCFA monthly with a _____ donation each month.

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Bank Account # _____ Routing # _____

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