

# Donating securities is easy! You could be saving on taxes and protecting the Parkway you love. That's nature appreciated!

When you give appreciated securities, you may receive an immediate tax deduction and savings on capital gains taxes. Your gift of stock or mutual funds can also be used to fund a charitable gift annuity. You can make a gift of appreciated securities to The American River Parkway Foundation while diversifying your portfolio and/or securing a stream of income.

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## HOW IT WORKS

1. You transfer securities to The American River Parkway Foundation.
2. The American River Parkway Foundation sells your securities and uses the proceeds for its programs.



## BENEFITS

- You receive gift credit and an immediate income tax deduction for the fair market value of the securities on the date of transfer, no matter what you originally paid for them.
- You pay no capital gains tax on the securities you donate.
- You can direct your gift to a specific fund or purpose.