



Privacy Policy

The Community Foundation is committed to protecting the privacy of our donors, partners, grantees, website visitors, and other constituents. This Privacy Policy explains how we collect, use, and safeguard information and the choices available to you.

Donor and Constituent Privacy

The Community Foundation treats all non-public personal information as confidential. We do not sell, trade, or share donor or constituent information with other organizations for fundraising or marketing purposes. Donors may request to remain anonymous, and we will honor those requests. Except as required by law, we do not disclose donor information without consent. Gift amounts are never disclosed without donor permission.

We apply the same standard of care and confidentiality to all individuals and organizations we work with, including partners, volunteers, and event participants.

Grant Applicants and Grantees

Information provided by grant applicants is used only to review and process applications and is shared internally only as necessary. The Community Foundation generally discloses the names of grantees and grant amounts as part of our commitment to transparency, except for certain grants to individuals, such as hardship assistance.

Website Privacy

We collect personal information that you voluntarily provide through our website, such as when you make a donation, sign up for updates, register for an event, or submit an inquiry. This information is used to communicate with you, process requests and contributions, and improve our programs and services. We do not sell or share personal information for third-party fundraising.

Online donations are processed securely through trusted third-party providers, and we do not store credit card or banking information on our servers. Reasonable safeguards are used to protect information collected through our website.

Our website uses cookies and analytics tools to understand how the site is used and to improve functionality and outreach. We may also use digital advertising or remarketing tools to understand general audience trends. Information collected through these tools is used in aggregate form.

We may share limited information with trusted service providers who help us operate our website or conduct our work. These providers are permitted to use information only as necessary to perform services on our behalf.

Our website may include links to external websites. The Community Foundation is not responsible for the privacy practices of those sites.

Your Privacy Rights

While nonprofit organizations are exempt from certain requirements under the Virginia Consumer Data Protection Act, the Community Foundation supports its principles. You may request access to, correction of, or deletion of personal information we maintain about you, subject to applicable legal requirements.

Privacy questions or requests may be directed to info@cfwesternva.org.

Updates to This Policy

We may update this Privacy Policy from time to time. Any changes will be posted on our website with an updated effective date.