



## INSIDE FJC

### FJC UPGRADES ACCOUNT PORTAL

FJC has made improvements to your online experience.

You will be able to recommend grants, access your statements, contribute to your fund via credit card, and see the date your grant checks cleared.

You can manage a My Favorite Charities list where you can track grantees in which you are interested.

The new portal is available at: [fjc.donorsphere.org](http://fjc.donorsphere.org).

Please make sure you update any saved bookmarks, and please login to update your password and verify your account information.

## ANNUAL YEAR-END CALENDAR NOTES

**PLEASE REVIEW AND KEEP IN MIND THE FOLLOWING DEADLINES:**

### Contributions

\*Contributions of **cash** to your FJC account sent via U.S. mail (not FedEx, DHL or others) must be postmarked by December 31, 2016 to qualify as a 2016 tax deduction. Deliveries by other means must be received by December 31.

\*Contributions of **securities and mutual fund shares** should be made as soon as possible, and received by FJC by December 31. Please notify us in advance of the transfer so we can promptly credit your fund. Brokers tend to be busy at year-end. **DAFs add increased value to stocks held one year or more because you can avoid or reduce capital gains taxes when they are donated.**

\*Contributions of **other assets** such as real estate, restricted securities or privately held stock can be made but require long lead times.

### Distributions

December 16, 2016 is the deadline for this year's **grant recommendations**. If you would like a charity to receive a grant before year-end, we recommend you advise us as early as possible.



### DONATING APPRECIATED PUBLIC STOCK HELD FOR ONE YEAR OR MORE

*It's never too early to plan your year-end giving. That's a benefit of having a donor advised fund!*

1. Contributing stock(s) is one of the most tax-effective ways to give. The more appreciated the stock, the greater the tax savings.
2. Donate stock by December 31 to ensure maximum 2016 tax savings. You'll receive an income tax deduction at the time of stock donation.
3. Stock donations can be invested to preserve and potentially grow over time.
4. You'll receive a tax receipt indicating the day's high and low stock value.

	DONATES AFTER-TAX PROCEEDS TO CHARITY	DONATES STOCK DIRECTLY TO CHARITY
VALUE OF APPRECIATED SECURITIES	\$100,000	\$100,000
CAPITAL GAINS TAX	\$21,420	\$0
NET AVAILABLE TO CHARITY	\$78,580	\$100,000
NET TAX SAVINGS	\$9,698	\$39,600

Consult your own financial adviser about your tax situation. This is for information purposes only.



**CHARITY  
SPOTLIGHT**

## CLIMATE CHANGE IS THE CHALLENGE OF OUR TIME

**We are launching a climate museum in New York City to serve as common ground for the optimism, creativity, and ambition needed for leadership in a challenging world.**

The effects of climate change are both acute and global. With the economic, ecological, and humanitarian costs rising, there is a clear imperative for action – now and sustained in the decades to come, as humanity continues to confront Earth’s changing climate.

The Paris Agreement of 2015 holds great promise for humanity’s transition to a clean energy economy and culture. There is a massive suite of efforts across society to make this transition real. To succeed, we need a dedicated public space, where different segments of society can come together to learn about climate change, face its challenges head-on, share solutions, and commit to change. That place will be the Climate Museum.

**The mission of the Climate Museum**, as adopted by our Founding Board of Trustees in January 2016, is to employ the sciences, art, and design to inspire dialogue and innovation that address the challenges of climate change, moving solutions to the center of our shared public life and catalyzing broad community engagement.



Climate Museum staffers and interns.

**We are excited to announce** our first launch programming in Fall 2017, which will include an outdoor public art installation and a solutions-focused interactive exhibit at The New School. We are thrilled to have reached this stage in our development, and are so grateful for the excellent administrative and moral support of FJC. We look forward to further developing our relationship as we work toward our ultimate goal: a permanent, transit-accessible, tourist-friendly home in New York City.



**JOIN US!**

[Climatemuseum.org](http://climatemuseum.org)



The Climate Museum Launch Project is a participant in FJC’s Fiscal Sponsorship Program.