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For more information, call (312) 795-3740; www.earthshare-illinois.org.

EarthShare is an alliance of America's leading nonprofit environmental and conservation charities, working across Illinois and the nation to protect human health and the environment.

The environment is our drinking water, our neighborhood parks, our children's schools, the air we breathe and the food we eat. Take care of the environment and it will take care of you.

Through the generosity of individuals at the workplace, EarthShare's members are helping locally, nationally, and globally every day to:

- Offset the harmful effects of global warming;
- Reduce the number of asthma attacks children experience due to poor air quality;
- Eliminate industry-caused mercury in our waterways and fish that can cause health problems;
- Plant millions of trees that clean our air, reduce topsoil erosion, and provide homes for wildlife;
- Save endangered species, like the California condor and giant panda, and their habitats;
- Conserve and restore Illinois prairies and their native species; and
- Preserve open space and parks for our recreation, exercise, and wildlife.

We make it easy for you to make a difference. You can give to EarthShare of Illinois or choose your favorite organization(s).



- 909-0005 African Wildlife Foundation
Foremost authority working to protect African wildlife.
(888) 4-WILDLIFE; www.awf.org
- 909-0010 Alaska Conservation Foundation
Works to protect the integrity of Alaska's ecosystems.
(907) 276-1917; www.akcf.org
- 909-0290 Alliance for the Great Lakes
Dedicated to protecting our Great Lakes.
(312) 939-0838; www.greatlakes.org
- 909-0020 American Farmland Trust
Stops loss of America's farms to development.
(800) 431-1499; www.farmland.org
- 909-0030 American Forests
Protects trees and forests since 1875.
(800) 368-5748; www.americanforests.org
- 909-0040 American Rivers
Restores our nation's waterways.
(877) 4-RIVERS; www.AmericanRivers.org
- 909-0045 Bat Conservation International
Bat conservation, research and education efforts.
(800) 538-2287; www.batcon.org
- 909-0050 Beyond Pesticides/NCAMP
Prevents pesticide poisoning of our environment.
(202) 543-5450; www.beyondpesticides.org
- 909-0060 Center for Health, Environment and Justice
Protects public health from toxins in water, air and food.
(703) 237-2249; www.chej.org
- 909-0080 Center for Neighborhood Technology
Links environment, economy and community.
(773) 278-4800; www.cnt.org
- 909-0090 Chicago Legal Clinic
Helps citizens confront urban environmental issues.
(312) 726-2938; www.clclaw.org
- 909-0110 The Conservation Fund
More than 3.2 million acres protected since 1985.
(703) 525-6300; www.conservationfund.org
- 909-0130 Defenders of Wildlife
Innovative leadership prevents species extinction.
(202) 682-9400; www.defenders.org
- 909-0250 Environment Illinois
Environmental public interest watchdog.
(312) 291-0696; www.environmentillinois.org
- 909-0155 Environmental and Energy Study Institute
Develops coalitions to educate Congress on energy and environmental issues.
(202) 628-1400; www.eesi.org
- 909-0310 Environmental Defenders of McHenry County
Citizens working for a healthy environment locally.
(815) 338-0393; www.mcdef.org
- 909-0160 Environmental Defense Fund
Efficient and fair solutions to environmental challenges.
(800) 684-3322; www.environmentaldefense.org
- 909-0170 Environmental Law and Policy Center of the Midwest
Advocates clean energy and sound land use.
(312) 673-6500; www.elpc.org
- 909-0175 Environmental Law Institute
Helps communities protect people and nature through education and research.
(202) 939-3800; www.eli.org
- 909-0504 FamilyFarmed.Org
Encourages sustainable economic development and revitalizes communities in an environmentally sound manner.
(708) 763-9920; www.familyfarmed.org
- 909-0177 Forest Service Employees for Environmental Ethics
Seeks the preservation of ecological values and biological diversity in our national forests.
(541) 484-2692; www.fseee.org
- 909-0180 Friends of the Chicago River
Revitalizes a valuable natural resource in Chicago.
(312) 939-0490; www.chicagoriver.org
- 909-0185 Friends of the Earth
Strives to preserve our natural resources and advocate for public health protection.
(877) 843-8687; www.foe.org
- 909-0187 Friends of the Forest Preserves
Working to preserve, protect, and restore the Forest Preserves of Cook County.
(312) 356-9990; www.fotfp.org
- 909-0190 Friends of the Fox River
Builds a watershed of caretakers for the river.
(815) 356-6605; www.friendsofthefoxriver.org
- 909-0200 Friends of the Parks
Preserves, protects, and enhances parks in Chicago.
(312) 857-2757; www.fotfp.org
- 909-0205 Green Corps, Inc.
Training of environmental leaders.
(617) 426-8506; www.GreenCorps.org
- 909-0210 Illinois Association of Park Districts
Promotes recreation and preservation of open spaces.
(217) 523-4554; www.ILparks.org
- 909-0220 Illinois Audubon Society
Promotes wildlife appreciation, preserves habitat.
(217) 544-2473; www.illinoisaudubon.org
- 909-0230 Illinois Conservation Foundation
Protects and enhances Illinois' natural resources.
(217) 785-2003; www.ilcf.org

- 909-0240 Illinois Environmental Council, Education Fund
Public education about sound environmental policies.
(217) 544-5954; www.ilenviro.org
- 909-0270 Illinois Division of the Izaak Walton League
Advances outdoor ethics to protect land and water.
(815) 886-4232; www.iwla.org
- 909-0275 John G. Shedd Aquarium
Animals connecting with you to make a difference.
(312) 939-2438; www.sheddaquarium.org
- 909-0280 Lake Forest Open Lands Association
Preserves land for public recreation and education.
(847) 234-3880; www.lfola.org
- 909-0295 The Land Connection
Works to establish successful farmers on healthy farmland.
(847) 570-0701; www.thelandconnection.org
- 909-0300 Land Trust Alliance
Preserves greenspaces and natural areas nationwide.
(202) 638-4725; www.landtrustalliance.org
- 909-0305 Lincoln Park Zoo
A free family zoo dedicated to superb animal care, scientific education and preserving wildlife.
(312) 742-2000; www.lpzoo.org
- 909-0320 The Nature Conservancy
Buys and protects land to save our world's rare plants and animals from extinction.
(703) 841-5300; www.nature.org
- 909-0325 Natural Land Institute
Preserves and restores forests, prairies and wetlands.
(815) 964-6666; www.naturalland.org
- 909-0330 National Parks Conservation Association
Preserves parks from Grand Canyon to Gettysburg.
(800) NAT-PARK; www.npca.org
- 909-0340 National Wildlife Federation
Safeguards wildlife and wild places in the modern world.
(800) 332-4949; www.nwf.org
- 909-0360 Natural Resources Defense Council
Defends rivers, coasts, forests, wildlife and clean air.
(212) 727-2700; www.nrdc.org
- 909-0390 Nuclear Energy Information Service
Public action, education on nuclear power hazards.
(773) 342-7650; www.neis.org
- 909-0395 Openlands
Protects natural areas through advocacy, education and outreach to protect the quality of life.
(312) 863-6250; www.openlands.org
- 909-0400 Ocean Conservancy
Protects marine wildlife and promotes marine sanctuaries.
(800) 519-1541; www.oceanconservancy.org
- 909-0401 Oceana
Aims to end pollution and destructive fishing practices to save marine wildlife and oceans.
(202) 833-3900; www.oceana.org
- 909-0410 The Peregrine Fund
Saves eagles, condors, falcons and other endangered birds.
(208) 362-3716; www.peregrinefund.org
- 909-0420 Pesticide Action Network North America
Works to eliminate poisonous pesticides.
(415) 981-1771; www.panna.org
- 909-0430 Prairie Rivers Network
Safeguards the rivers and streams of Illinois.
(217) 344-2371; www.prairierivers.org
- 909-0440 Rails-to-Trails Conservancy
Converts unused railroad tracks into public trails.
(866) 202-9788; www.railstotrails.org
- 909-0450 Rainforest Alliance
Conserves tropical forests - 50% of Earth's species.
(888) MY-EARTH; www.rainforest-alliance.org
- 909-0465 Safer Pest Control Project
Promotes safe, alternative pesticide use in Illinois to reduce health and environmental risks.
(773) 878-7378; www.spcpweb.org
- 909-0470 Save the Prairie Society
Acquires land and restores ecosystems.
(708) 865-8736; www.savetheprairiesociety.org
- 909-0485 Seven Generations Ahead
Promotes environmentally sustainable communities.
(708) 660-9909; www.sevengenerationsahead.org
- 909-0490 The Sierra Club Foundation
Fights to preserve wilderness and protect environmental quality worldwide.
(312) 251-1680; <http://illinois.sierraclub.org/>
- 909-0500 South Cook County Environmental Action Coalition
Offers alternatives to incineration and landfills.
(708) 239-0678
- 909-0502 Southeast Environmental Task Force
Promotes environmental education, pollution prevention and sustainable development for the south-east side and south suburbs of Chicago.
(773) 646-0436; www.southeastenvironmental.org
- 909-0506 The Student Conservation Association
High school and college volunteers building trails, saving wildlife and helping park visitors.
(603) 543-1700; www.theSCA.org
- 909-0507 Surfrider Foundation
Protects and preserves the world's oceans, waves and beaches.
(800) 743-SURF; www.surfrider.org
- 909-0510 Illinois Council of Trout Unlimited
Encourages preservation and restoration of fisheries.
(773) 638-6178; www.tu.org

909-0520 The Trust for Public Land
Transforms vacant lots into urban gardens, parks.
(800) 714-LAND; www.tpl.org

909-0530 Union of Concerned Scientists
Scientists and citizens working together.
(800) 666-8276; www.ucsusa.org

909-0550 Wildlife Conservation Society
Saves endangered species and habitat in
50 countries.
(718) 741-1647; www.wcs.org

909-0555 Wildlife Trust
Empowers local conservation scientists to protect
nature and safeguard ecosystems and human health.
(212) 380-4460; www.wildlifetrust.org

909-0560 World Wildlife Fund
Support of parks and nature reserves on
five continents.
(202) 293-4800; www.worldwildlife.org