About NCDXF

The Northern California DX Foundation is a private foundation described in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. It was founded in 1972 to assist worthwhile amateur radio and scientific projects with funding and equipment. NCDXF’s funding comes entirely from voluntary contributions from members and friends, from grants from other foundations and organizations, and from investment income generated from the Foundation's initial $250,000 endowment.

An eleven member Board of Directors oversees all of the Foundation's business. These Directors and the volunteer advisors who assist them have held responsible positions in the business or academic worlds. They all are active amateur radio operators. The Foundation does not have a paid staff, and no Foundation officer, director or advisor receives a salary or compensation in any form.

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Testimonials

"Amateur radio played a huge role in my academic and professional careers, and DXing in particular enhanced my love for geography and travel. I was fascinated with contacting stations from odd and remote places, and it always seemed NCDXF was there helping those stations get on the air. A bequest to NCDXF seems an appropriate way to say thank you and to repay the Foundation for all the countless hours of enjoyment it helped make possible for me." -- Rusty Epps, W6OAT

"For around six decades, I have enjoyed chasing DX. The thrill of the hunt and the magic remains after all of the years - most of my life. Over time, the cost to put rare entities on the air has risen astronomically. And meaningful financial support by NCDXF to the rare ones makes it possible for The Deserving to log these rare entities. That’s the reason that it’s important for DXers to support NCDXF. And it’s why I have made a bequest to NCDXF" -- Al Burnham – K6RIM

“When it comes to DXpedition funding, NCDXF is the premiere organization, providing a highly organized and thoughtful process which allows DXers to in essence pool their resources synergistically. The simple reality is, were it not for the leadership and vision of NCDXF over the years, many past DXpeditions might not have ever happened. Going forward, resource requirements will only continue to escalate. It is essential that NCDXF have the resources necessary to provide such world-class leadership in the future. NCDXF’s “Cycle 25 Program” is a unique and customizable way for DXers to “pay it forward” and ensure the future viability of our wonderful DX hobby for many generations to come!” -- Dan White– W5DNT

For more information, please contact us at
cycle25@ncdxf.org
Estate Planning

There are many ways to support NCDXF. Of course, one is to donate each year or to give a large gift when you feel so inclined. However, as we all age together and plan ahead for our families through effective estate planning, there are other ways for you to support NCDXF. One option is to direct a portion of your estate to something that will live forever with NCDXF: The Cycle 25 Fund.

Cycle 25 is for acknowledging those that commit before the next sunspot maximum. We will honor your estate plans on the NCDXF website. A special NCDXF pin will be sent to you as a memento of your thoughtfulness. Please join those who will raise the endowment of the NCDXF for the next generation of DXers. Unless directed otherwise, your donation will be added to an endowment fund and only the income will be used to support future DXpeditions.

How To Plan Your Gift

**Cash** can be sent to us when your estate is distributed.

**Stocks, bonds and other investments** can be earmarked for NCDXF

**IRAs** can have NCDXF set as a beneficiary

**Charitable Gift Annuity** can be set up with NCDXF as the recipient

**Life Insurance** can be transferred to NCDXF as a gift

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Cycle 25 Commitments

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Our goal for this Cycle 25 project is $1 million in additional managed funds. Over $400,000 has been committed thus far. Please join us to reach our shared goal.

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