

### **What does the Foundation Fellow receive?**

For every \$500 contribution, the person named as a Foundation Fellow receives a pin, patch, and framed certificate. The person's name is engraved on the Foundation Fellow Wall of Honor and is listed in a computerized, scrolling role of honorees located at the Lions of Illinois Foundation office. For those who complete levels 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25, a shadow box is also presented which contains the five pins and patches awarded for the respective levels. Additional recognition is bestowed upon achievement of the 25<sup>th</sup> level.

### **How are the funds used?**

Contributions are pooled and invested in the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund – a restricted fund of which the principal remains intact. Only the income from the Endowment Fund can be used to support Lions of Illinois Foundation programs and services for the visually and hearing impaired. The Endowment Fund provides contributors with an opportunity to give a gift that keeps on giving.

### **Are contributions tax-deductible?**

Yes! Contributions to the Endowment Fund are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

## **LIONS OF ILLINOIS ENDOWMENT FUND**

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**LIONS OF ILLINOIS  
ENDOWMENT FUND**

# **Lions of Illinois FOUNDATION FELLOW**

## What is a Foundation Fellow?

A Foundation Fellow is the greatest level of recognition that can be bestowed by the Lions of Illinois Foundation and can honor anyone (Lion or non-Lion). It can be presented to a person who donates \$500 to the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund, or it can be used as a way for others to honor a person's dedication to the club, community, Lions District, Lions of Illinois Foundation, and/or Lionism in general.

The Foundation Fellow is a means of showing commitment to the Lions of Illinois Foundation and to its vision of creating a permanent vehicle for the delivery of programs and services to the visually and hearing impaired. It is tangible evidence of a dedication to establishing a lasting legacy. For those who wish to contribute more than \$500 or to begin a program of giving, there are 25 levels of the Foundation Fellow, with each level attained affording honor to the individual named.

## How does someone become a Foundation Fellow?

To become an "initial" Foundation Fellow, contribute \$500 (in partial payments or in one payment) to the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund and attach the form provided below. Subsequent "progressive" Foundation Fellows are \$500 each.

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## — Foundation Fellow Application —

Check one: Initial Foundation Fellow  Progressive Foundation Fellow

Name of Foundation Fellow as it should appear on certificate (*please, print*):

Check one: Lion  Lioness  Leo  PDG  DG  DT   
Other  (*specify: \_\_\_\_\_*) Do NOT include title

Is Foundation Fellow to be presented posthumously? Yes  No

Foundation Fellow's Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

District: \_\_\_\_\_ Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person's Name (*if different than Foundation Fellow*): \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Shipping Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date to be presented: \_\_\_\_\_ Is this a surprise? Yes  No

Special Instructions (*who you would like to present Foundation Fellow, etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_

Full Payment (\$500) enclosed  Partial Payment enclosed  (Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_)

Make check payable to **LIONS OF ILLINOIS ENDOWMENT FUND.**

Mail to:

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