Shumla Archaeological Research & Education Center

Give Acceptance Policy

Shumla will accept gifts and pledges from individuals and foundations as described below. Investment earnings on gifts are not considered part of the gift or eligible for credit to the donor.

**General Operating, Project, and Capital Support**

On an on-going basis, Shumla will solicit one-time and multi-year gifts for general operating, special program, project, and capital costs.

**Unrestricted Gifts**

- Gifts under $50,000 from an individual will be accepted and processed by the ED and the donor shall receive a letter confirming the use of the gift.
- Gifts of $50,000 or more may require a donor agreement detailing specific terms of the gift and the expectations of both the donor and Shumla. The agreement will be developed jointly by Shumla and the donor.

**Restricted Gifts**

Shumla will accept restricted gifts provided that Shumla’s mission and priorities are supported. Donors wishing to support Shumla with restricted gifts are obligated to provide documentation stating any restrictions. Shumla will not accept gifts with unduly restrictive terms that contravene existing agreements or that are too problematic to administer.

**Endowment Funds**

The Shumla Dibble Endowment fund exists to support Research programs. The Shumla Legacy Giving fund supports operations, programs and services not directly related to programs supported by the Dibble Endowment.

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