



## Custom Alarm/Custom Communications, Inc. (CCi) Contributions Policy

Custom Alarm/CCi believes in contributing to the communities in which we live and work. Throughout the years we have established a giving program, each year we set aside money to donation to organizations, projects and causes that fit into our giving goals.

The goals of our giving program are to support organizations that work on issues we care about, support organizations that align with our overall business goals and support organizations at which our employees volunteer or contribute.

### Categories of Giving

CCi is particularly interested in the following categories:

- **Aiding people in crisis** by supporting food banks, shelters, community support programs, and community assistance programs.
- **The development and support of children and youth programs** by supporting youth sports teams, youth camps and youth organizations.
- **The development and support of education** by supporting local colleges and universities and area high schools.
- **Promotion of good health** by supporting local hospitals, clinics, hospices and organizations the fight illness: cancer, heart disease, diabetes, etc.

Our primary focus is to contribute funds to be used to create something tangible and lasting by giving to capital campaigns. We also support ongoing work of local organizations as well as the development of new projects and organizations. Our contributions are focused on a few large organizations; however we do hold aside a portion which we distribute to ongoing smaller and one time projects through out the year.

We prefer things with a local impact that will support the “Greater Rochester Area” community. We also support organizations, projects and causes in the region and state level if they fit into our categories. Needs that are identified by our employees and those which they support and contribute are given a higher priority.

### Requests

We are dedicated to addressing community concerns. We have many more opportunities for giving than we have funds. Therefore, we have a donations committee who meets during the first week of each month to review the requests. All requests are reviewed at that meeting and not before. If you would like to make a request for a charitable contribution your request must be submitted in writing either via email to [info@custom-alarm.com](mailto:info@custom-alarm.com) or by mail to 1661 Greenview Drive SW, Rochester, MN 55902. In your request please address the following:

1. What the money raised will be used for.
2. Will it stay in the community?
3. What services does your program give to the community/goal of your program?